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LOCAL NEWS.

If you see it in the Townsman, it's news to be relied upon; if it is news and so, you'll see it in the Townsman.

Millard A. Clement has been drawn juror for the March term of the Superior Civil Court to be held at Lawrence.

Remember the Citizens' caucus to-night at 8 o'clock.

Frank Baldwin, proprietor of the Park House, Woodstock, Vt., was in town this week.

President Andrews of Brown University is expected to address the Forum of Phillips Academy next Monday night.

The public schools closed at noon Monday. The attendance was very small.

Confirmation services occur at Christ Church to-night at 7.30. Bishop Courtney will administer the rite to the candidates.

J. H. Knapp, formerly of the Phillips football team, has been elected temporary captain of the Yale Freshmen crew.

Prof. and Mrs. J. P. Taylor have this week gone to Washington, D. C., for the remainder of the winter.

An inventory of the estate of Phoebe S. Frye was filed at Probate Court Monday. The amount was \$2,945.89.

A special invitation is given to the scholars in our schools to the phonograph entertainment Friday evening of next week, for fifteen cents admission.

The last meeting of the Board of Registrars of voters, before the town election, will be held in the Town Clerk's office next Wednesday night from 7.30 to 10 o'clock.

Rev. Leighton Parks, D.D., of Emmanuel Church Boston, preaches at Christ Church next Sunday evening on "The Holy Communion."

Seminary students, last Sunday, had these engagements: Mr. Ellis, at Lawrence; Mr. Whipple, at Londonderry, N. H.; Mr. Ornard, at Frye Village; Mr. Berle, in Rhode Island.

Prof. Tucker preached in the New Old South, and Prof. Harris in the Central Congregational Church, at Boston, last Sunday; Prof. Moore preached at Williamstown.

We are indebted to Rev. Wm. Rader, associate pastor of the First Congregational Church of Oakland, Cal., for a copy of "The Church Record," a paper issued by the Sunday School and Y. P. S. C. E.

About six hundred were present, including professors and students of the Bangor Seminary and many prominent people. An orchestra played and refreshments were served. It was a most gratifying occasion.

The new Athletic House on the upper campus of Phillips Academy was opened Saturday. The first floor contains an unoccupied room, to be used in various ways in connection with track athletics. The second floor is taken up with baths and lockers. The whole cost of the building, including plumbing, is \$1,700.

William Craig and Bertie Mears of Ballardvale, who were indicted by Judge Poor on severe charges about two months ago, received their sentences at the hands of the Superior Court at Salem last Monday. Craig was given five years in State Prison and Mears three years in the House of Correction.

The concert by the Edison Phonograph was postponed on account of the severe weather Monday night. It will probably be given on the evening of March 3rd. Tickets purchased for the concert Monday will be good for the coming date.

Owing to the obstruction of the railroad ex-President Bartlett of Dartmouth College was not able to reach Andover in season to deliver his promised lecture before the Society of Inquiry at the Seminary on Thursday evening. He will, however, speak to-night in Bartlett Chapel at 7 P.M. His subject is, "Stability in the Ministry."

Some of the men and the positions they are trying for on the Phillips Academy nine are: Catchers, Murphy and Drew; pitchers, Page, Boutwell, Sedgewick, and Greenway; first base, Jackson and Reed; second base, Holt, Hazen, and Jennings; short stop, Donovan, Simmonds, Smith, Letton, and Chadwell; third base, Manning, Blackmore, Thompson, and Hobbs; fielders, Millard, Duncan, B. F. Donovan, Terrill, and Allen.

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Prof. C. P. Howland having brought charges of untruth and plagiarism against Rev. R. P. Gardner of Marion, a council has been called to examine the case, and Prof. Harris of Andover has been selected as one of the triers.

There will be a meeting of the Junior Auxiliary of the W. B. M. at the South Church vestry, Tuesday, Feb. 28, at 4 o'clock.

John F. Dubord is to put in the cellar for an addition to the residence of Mrs. Geo. W. Coburn on Central Street.

The West Church Juvenile Missionary Society will meet at the parsonage Saturday afternoon at 2.30.

Mrs. Rev. M. L. Gordon addresses a missionary meeting at Trinity Church, Lawrence, to-night.

Mrs. C. F. C. Higbee is stopping at the Grand Pacific Hotel, Chicago.

The Garfield Club, L. L. A., at its meeting next Tuesday night will have a debate on the subject, "Should the United States Annex the Hawaii Islands?"

The town reports will probably be issued next Monday afternoon.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Free Church held a "Crazy Ten" in the vestry last night. Considering the condition of the traveling, there was a large attendance. The peculiar names on the menu certainly indicated a craziness, but lots of amusement was afforded in calling for the curiously named articles, as it was not known until served what they were. Games and music caused the remainder of the evening to pass most enjoyably.

A large party of Lowell ladies and gentlemen celebrated Washington's birthday at the Danvers Lunatic Hospital, Wednesday evening, on invitation of Trustee Colby of Andover, by giving an amateur performance of "Pinafore" before the inmates. The costumes worn were very handsome, and the entire affair was a great success. The visitors also inspected the institution, in the afternoon, and did not return home till Thursday.

Mr. S. C. Bartlett, Jr., of the Seminary, gave an address before the Y. P. S. C. E. of Trinity Congregational Church, Lawrence, last Sunday evening. His topic was "A Common Sense View of Mission Work in Japan." The attendance was large, and the audience were thoroughly pleased with Mr. Bartlett's address, many expressing the hope that they would have a further opportunity of hearing him. The fact that Mr. Bartlett avoids the beaten path of the traditional missionary speaker adds much to the interest and zest with which his entertaining talks are received.

"The worst day for many years" was the general verdict of last Monday. The wind blew a hurricane, coming, it is said, all the way from Lake Huron. It had respect for nobody. The snow blew and drifted and rendered some of the streets almost impassable. The streets were well nigh deserted during the day and night, only those who were compelled to, venturing out. The electric cars run pretty well considering the way the snow drifted on the tracks. In the afternoon they ran only half hour trips instead of every twenty minutes. One of the early morning cars burned out a motor on the Hill, and though due at Lawrence at 7.45 did not reach there until 9.20. Several of the mails were also quite late.

One of Boston's eminent and most enterprising merchants, and father of Mrs. G. W. W. Dove of this town, Capt. William T. Glidden, died recently in New-castle, Me. He was born in 1805, and remembered the War of 1812-14 distinctly. For thirty years he lived the most of every year on Marlborough Street, Boston. For twenty-eight years, beginning in 1849, the firm of Glidden and Williams ranked first among the foremost shipping firms of Boston. He was a very highly respected man. He leaves a son and one other daughter besides Mrs. Dove.

The following item is taken from an account in the Bangor Me. Commercial of last Saturday: "The always attractive vestries of the Central Church were last evening transformed into a bower of beauty for the reception given the popular new pastor, Rev. E. B. Bary, and his estimable wife. The floors were carpeted with Turkish rugs, the walls lined with rare oil paintings and engravings, beautiful decorations of flowers and plants were on every hand, while the gas lights and banquet lamps, with their brilliant hued shades, gave an agreeable illumination to the whole."

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Violin Solo. "Othello." Ernst
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Soprano Solo. Aria, "Barber of Seville." Rossini
Miss Methot.
Violin Solo. a. Choral Nocturne. Chopin
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Violin Solo. Caprices by Paganini
E. Remenyi.
Vocal Duet. May Song. Reinecke
Miss Methot and Mr. Marshbank.

Republican Caucus Postponed.

The severe storm of Wednesday was responsible for the small attendance of Republicans, only about twenty-five gathering at the Town Hall to attend to the business of the chairman. Geo. S. Cole of the town committee called the meeting to order. Geo. H. Poor, Esq., was chosen chairman and O. P. Chase secretary. A motion to adjourn until next Tuesday evening at 7.45 was then made and carried.

The Storm.

If the storm of Monday was the worst for years, then a pretty strong adjective would be required to describe the condition of things after Wednesday's storm. The people on the outskirts are experiencing great difficulty in breaking out, as the snow is very badly drifted. In the centre of town things are not much better, the middle of the streets being used for both foot and team travel. The town teams are and have been doing all possible to make the streets passable. The electric cars have been able to get as far as Frye Village only since Wednesday morning.

A gentleman in speaking of the storm refers to a friend's diary of Feb. 17, 1864, which has a record of a storm in Dover, N. H., on that date. There were only 3 to 8 inches of snow, but this was followed by a high wind, and the drifting was something terrible! Monday morning trains arrived in Dover as follows: from Alton, Wednesday morning; from Great Falls, Wednesday afternoon; from Boston, Thursday morning; from Portland, Thursday evening.

Congregational Club's Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Merrimack Valley Congregational Club will be held at the First Congregational Church in Lowell next Monday evening. It will also be "Ladies' Night." The program of the evening will include a social hour from five to six, supper at six, election of officers, reports and items of business, and addresses by Revs. E. Winchester, Donald, D. D., and Philip S. Moxom, D. D., of Boston. The Elliot Church choir will furnish music. Extra tickets for gentlemen are \$1.75 each; for ladies, \$1.25 each. They can be obtained from the secretary, Geo. D. Pettie. The train leaves Andover at 4.25 P.M., and returning leaves Lowell at 9.25.

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Street Lighting.

There are two or three ways in which the cost of lighting can be reduced.

If the town of Andover should put in an electric plant and run the same number of lights as now, and if we should light the streets two hundred and ninety days each year, the cost, if the same as at Danvers, would be just about \$2500 per year. If the town of Andover should put in the plant and use incandescent lights instead of the arc lights—putting in about three incandescent lights in place of each arc light—the streets could be very much better lighted at less than \$2500.

While it is a fact that very much more light is obtained in one arc lamp than from three incandescent lamps, a great portion of the light from the arc lamp is wasted by lighting up the space so far above the street as to be of no use to people on the street. Another serious trouble with the arc lamp in a hilly town like Andover, is the impossibility of driving for any distance without bringing the intensely brilliant light in contact with the eyes. This light coming suddenly in contact with the eye closes the pupil so that when the eye is turned away from it, it requires time for the pupil to adjust itself to the comparative darkness, and it is impossible to see objects in the street immediately in front of the team, while the eye is adjusting itself to the change. While this particular trouble is not so great to pedestrians at which the sidewalks, the great distance at which the arc lights are placed causes trouble because of the shadows of the great number of trees in Andover.

At the present price of kerosene oil there is no question but that it is the cheapest material to furnish light. By putting in as many lamps as we had seven years ago, and adding to them enough to cover the streets now lighted by electricity, furnishing each one with a Wheeler reflector, and lighting them every night for the six months of the shortest days, burning them all night and lighting them every night and all night during the absence of the moon for the other six months, the streets and sidewalks can be more satisfactorily lighted than now, for \$2500.

If the present system of lighting is continued after the contract now in existence expires, there is no reason why the lights should not be paid for as the sidewalks are to be paid for, namely: Let the town pay half of the expense of lighting and the people who are benefited by the lighting pay the other half. People in the Scotland district, in the Holt district, and in all the other outlying portions of the town, are benefited certainly while using the streets that are lighted, and should pay for a part of the cost; but when on their way to their homes they get beyond the limit of the light, they get no benefit from the light, and ought not to pay more than one-half of the cost.

The Lobby.

Readers who do not attend the sessions of the legislature, but get their idea of legislative matters from the newspapers, are apt to have erroneous ideas concerning the habits of the gentlemen of the third house. The name of the lobbyist conveys the idea of a row of eager individuals, like hungry hackmen standing in the lobby and intercepting the passage of the members. Nothing of the kind is to be seen. To be sure, there is always a crowd of seedy individuals loitering around the entrance of the senate and house chambers, but you could cast no greater insult upon a real lobbyist than to class him with these unprosperous-looking fellows. How these fellows of the baser sort manage to live is a mystery. You may watch one of them for a week, and he appears to be doing nothing but Macawber-like, waiting for something to turn up. And then, all at once, he will appear in a new overcoat. You can never imagine how it was done, and the fellow will not tell you the secret.

But your real lobbyist who is the theme for so many editorials, seldom or never is seen in the lobby. The gentlemen of deep pockets and shallow principles have no need to go to the door of the chambers to transact their business. The Adams House, and Parker's and Young's are much more convenient and comfortable. Occasionally, however, a distinguished looking individual, faultlessly dressed and with the air of a full-blooded prince, will be seen for a moment in the lobby. You feel at once that this personage is of too much importance to be a member of the legislature, and your guess that he is a lobbyist will probably be correct. But when you see a man "wandering aimlessly about the corridors and haunting the committee rooms with a hungry look," as reporters often like to describe it, you can be assured that that man is not a member of the profession. The real lobbyist never "wanders aimlessly."

The "legislative agents" have not yet registered in any large number. But when the legislature really gets

down to business, when the big things come up for settlement, then the legislative counsel will be prevalent as of yore, and with the ranks increased, as it has been annually heretofore, by recruits from last year's legislature. In fact, it would appear that some men get elected to the legislature for no other reason than that they may be properly equipped for the lobby. The tadpole of this year's house will become the frog of next year's lobby.—*Bedon Hill cor. of Cambridge Press.*

The High School Cadets' Field Day.

Further arrangements have been made for the next annual field day of the Second Massachusetts School Regiment, which will be held in Malden, Saturday, May 12. Principal C. T. C. Whitcomb of the Wakefield high school presided at a meeting of principals Saturday afternoon, at which details relating to the change of management were decided upon. There will be no meeting of the principals until after a meeting of the military instructors, which is to be held in a few days. The cadets of the various towns will assemble at nine o'clock, at Malden. At 9.30 o'clock there will be a competitive drill for the tricolors. There will be separate movements for schools having battalions and single companies, respectively, although the marking will be based on the same rate of percent. The regiment will be reviewed and inspected at 11.30 o'clock, and dinner will be served at 12.15 o'clock. There will be different arrangements in regard to the serving of dinner this year, from those of previous years. Every boy will be expected to carry or furnish his own dinner, and no dinners will be served by caterers. A new feature in the way of athletic sports will be introduced in the afternoon. There will be six events, and one scholar from each school will be allowed to enter in each. Following the athletic tournament a competitive drill will take place in which five members of each town represented in the regiment will be allowed to participate. At 2.30 o'clock there will be a street parade and at 4.30 o'clock the dress parade will be held. —*Wakefield Citizen and Banner.*

The Pynchard Cadets are members of this organization.

Profits and Wages in Manufactures.

In an able paper discussing wages and profits in manufactures in the *Social Economist* for February, General W. F. Draper points out the fact that twenty-four out of sixty-five representative manufacturing corporations of Boston which paid dividends during the past ten years experienced an actual loss for this period, while forty-one paid an annual average dividend of only 4.88 per cent on the selling price of the stock. The capital of these latter concerns suffered impairment during the decade, showing that they actually paid out more money than they earned. From his personal investigations in this field, General Draper concludes that the profits of manufacturing corporations have averaged no more than the current rate of interest.

Quite different results are shown when the amounts paid in wages are considered. The forty dividend paying corporations, concerning which details were obtainable, paid in wages (exclusive of superintendence, book-keeping and selling expenses) on an average \$16,072,426 per annum during the ten years. Their dividends amounted only to \$2,367,191 annually, about one-seventh of the sum received by labor. An increase of 14 per cent in the wages paid would have completely wiped out all profits and interest on the capital invested. When the salaries of officers and clerks and selling expenses are included in the reckoning, the dividends, compared with the wages fund thus augmented, are as 1 to 8.1, and a rise of 12 per cent in that fund would have left nothing for interest on the capital employed.

These facts from a representative manufacturing city, covering as they do a wide and varied range of industry, afford a fair standard by which to judge the manufacturing industry as a whole. They demonstrate beyond dispute that it is the workingman, and not the "robber baron" who has been reaping the main benefits of protection.—*N. Y. Press.*

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What We Owe to Fire.

It is worth while to note how few of the things, besides the fire on the hearth, that go to make up a modern fireside could ever have come into being except through the agency of the fire. Trace the origin of the book you have been reading in your cozy corner of the hearth. Speech itself is partly a growth and partly an invention, but were we not so familiar with them we should bow our heads in awe in the presence of these wondrous arbitrary characters we call the letters of the alphabet, by means of which we represent thought and speech, so that ideas are preserved age after age. We look at these characters and straightway in our minds are reproduced the speculations of Plato, the poetical imaginings of Virgil or the teachings of Jesus.

Through picture writing, hieroglyph, such figures as children play with and call the rebus; by steps like these—and the steps were many centuries—the race climbed to the attainment of a phonetic alphabet. Then many centuries still passed by, until at last, after the beneficent fire had helped men smelt and shape the stubborn iron the movable type was invented, and all the thoughts of the world are the common property of any who will learn to read. Measure the distance from the hut of the barbarian to the fireside of a modern home, and you measure the total advance that man has made in civilization.—*Rev. M. J. Savage in Peterson's Magazine.*

What Sleep Is Scientifically.

The great German scientist, Herr Rosenbaum, says that the anemic condition of the brain is due to an excess of water in the cells of that body—a sort of water on the brain. Sleep, according to his theory, is especially a matter of nervous action—the fatigue of the nerve cells which communicate with the heart and bring about a change in the circulation. The nervous cells are full of water when sleep comes on, which during sleep passes into the venous blood as waste, while the nerve cells receive nourishment from fresh arterial blood. When the process is entirely, over the sleeper awakes, unless he is disturbed sooner.

According to Rosenbaum's theory, sleep is not only healthy because of the rest it gives the entire body, but actually invigorating in itself. Those who have imagined that slumber was simply quiet and rest for an overworked and fatigued mind or body will be surprised to learn that the scientists are divided in opinion as to whether it is pressure on the brain, similar to vertigo and other attacks which produce unconsciousness, or a mild form of hydrocephalus.—*New Orleans Times-Democrat.*

A Remarkable Case of Psychic Power.

A friend of mine who is quite well known in literary circles, but who is not willing that her name be given, related to me a short time ago a striking experience. She requested a friend in whom she had great confidence and who possessed a certain degree of psychic power to try and see where she was and what she was doing on a certain evening. The two individuals were many hundred miles apart. The friend in striving to accomplish this feat fell into a profound trance, in which he was found by friends, who thought him dead and had him medically treated. When he recovered, he wrote his friend, saying: "At such an hour you were in your room. A visitor was announced. He was a person I had never seen, but I will describe him to you." He then gave a detailed description of the caller. All the facts were exactly as stated.—*Arena.*

London's Paupers and Criminals.

On Jan. 1, 1891, the paupers in London numbered 112,547, and the cost of pauperism was in 1889-90, £2,340,000, the cost of each pauper being £21 16s. 1d.

The number of persons committed for trial during 1889-90 was 2,908, while 109,748 were convicted summarily. The habitual offenders known to the police not committed during the year numbered 2,392. The total represents a percentage of 2.7 to the whole population. The cost of the police was £1,799,000, or £15 12s. 9d. per head of the incriminated class. Industrial schools cost £20,652.—*Pall Mall Gazette.*

New Interpretation.

In one of the Utica schools the other day the teacher gave out some abbreviations for the children of a class to write. Among them were M. D., B. C. and B. A. When she looked over the papers of one of the pupils, she found that M. D. was properly scheduled "physician," B. C. referred to the period "Before Christ" and B. A. indicated "Before Adam." —*Utica Observer.*

Every Part of a Tree Is Useful.

There are no parts of a tree that cannot be utilized for the benefit of man or animal and vegetable life, and neither the stem nor boughs are alike, yet neither can be said to differ in many of their characteristics and the elements governed by natural law.—*Boston Transcript.*

No Hope.

Frank—Do you know how I can cure May of loving me? Belle—No; if she loves you, her case is plainly hopeless.—*Kate Field's Washington.*

The Living Age.

Ever entertaining and instructive, and in touch with the most advanced field of thought, nearly every article that appears in *Littell's Living Age* is not only of present interest but of permanent value and worthy of preservation. Recent numbers are well adapted to maintain its well earned reputation, their contents covering a wide range of subjects, as their titles indicate: "Jupiter's New Satellite," by the eminent astronomer, Sir Robert Ball; "The Poetry of To-day and To-morrow"; "Alaska and its Glaciers," by Henrietta Grey Egerton; "In the Days of John Company," by A. Kenney-Herbert; "Letters of Charles and Mary Lamb"; "Lollardism"; "Aspects of Tennyson," a series of articles on the late poet laureate, by some of the best known writers; "The Lions in Trafalgar Square," by Richard Jefferies; "Of Thomas Bewick," by Anne Ritchie, with many others of equal merit. Current fiction is well represented by the short stories which appear in each issue. Specimen copies may be obtained by sending 14 cents to the publishers, Littell & Co., Boston.

A PICTURE.

Grandfather in his broadcloth goes
To hear the parson's Sunday prose.
He sleeps the sermon safely through,
Behind his pillar, out of view.
For never dangerous doctrine ran
From Parson Toun; he knows his man.
And feeling his salvation sure
He points the morals with a snore.
Whereat, with giggles, all the girls
Do shake their rows of dancing curls.
Here is the flame of young romance
Oft nourished by a subtle glance,
And Cupid lifts beneath the rose
Of Dame Theology the rose.
That quivers on Clarinda's heart
Responsive to the looks that dart,
Whence Collin, tired of parables,
The herdsman's quarrel at the walls,
Contents him with the lovely shape
That glances through Clarinda's cape.
Among the boys some bench is out,
Or one essays the traitor nut
That pops, whereat, with cheeks adame,
The kernel's fumbled in his shame,
And rolling underneath a pew
Is out of reach, but still in view.
And through the marble, nut and knife
Lot's wife, and yet again Lot's wife.
Outside his tale the blackbird spins,
The tributary thrush begins
To praise the blue audaciously
With daring turns of melody.
And now the parson ends his prose,
The hymn is sung, grandfather goes
Serenely home, and quite assured
He profited and never snored.
And sleeps the turfy path apace—
Says, slum in church is sheer disgrace.
Now Collin, free of circumstance,
Pursues Clarinda with romance,
Forgiving all the herdsman's strife,
Lot's wife, and yet again Lot's wife.
—*Norman Gale.*

Hunting Leopards in India.

Mr. Simson says that he has hunted 30 leopards with dogs, and has been at several such hunts with other people's dogs. But dogs are either too timid or too plucky, and the plucky ones that go at the leopard get killed. Still the dogs help to find the leopard, and it seems that they might have been used with more advantage in seeking for the man eating leopard. But to use dogs effectually the sportsman must be on foot.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Friday, Feb. 17.
An Odd Fellows' temple at Canton, O., was burned—A pulp mill at South Gardiner, Me., was burned. Loss \$300,000.
Three men were held for the grand jury at Boston for perjury in a naturalization case—The New York and New England wants to issue \$25,000,000 bonds—David Hill of Pittsfield, N. H., aged 55, was instantly killed by an electric car at Greenwood, Mass.—Patrick Welch was found over at Fall River, Mass., charged with the murder of Bridget McCann by poisoning—Wilbur F. Rodgers of Meriden was chosen commander of the Connecticut department of the Grand Army—Timothy Byrne tried to assault his wife at Salem, Mass., and she jumped from a window, receiving injuries which may prove fatal—The Massachusetts hospital for dipomanics at Foxboro was formally declared ready for occupancy—Ernest Adams was arrested at Pittsfield, Mass., for uttering forged checks—The jury that investigated the Dover (N. H.) insane asylum fire is understood to have criticised several parties—Warren Dearborn, charged with being one of the West Newbury (Mass.) incendiaries, was arrested at Farmington, N. H.—Warring political factions in Kansas are negotiating for a basis for settling their disputes in the supreme court—Champion skater Joe Donoghue was badly beaten by Johnson of Minneapolis in the amateur championship races—Boston police arrested William Geukelger, a man of many aliases, who has been busily engaged passing worthless checks—Miles Scrutin, an ex-representative to the legislature, and a pensioner of the war of 1812, died at Farmington, N. H., aged 100 years—General Abraham Dally, a survivor of the war of 1812, was found dead at his home in Williamsburg, L. I. The general was 98 years old—A crowded memorial meeting in New York listened to eulogies on the late Bishop Brooks—Judge Gresham states that it was purely duty that induced him to accept position in Cleveland's cabinet—Carlisle discloses the interview published in Thursday's papers about the financial programme of the new administration.

Saturday, Feb. 18.
Mitchell is matched to fight Corbett. He has covered the \$10,000 deposit of the latter—Congressman Andrew is said to be booked for civil service commissioner—Sixty Conservatives in the Canadian parliament were snubbed by the premier for attempting to block the Nova Scotia coal sale—The treasury condition is improving. The secretary will not intrench on the \$100,000,000 gold reserve, but, if necessary, issue bonds—Rear Admiral Augustus Ludlow Case died at Washington—The house passed the pension bill—The failure of Robert L. Walker of Youngstown, O., swept away all Governor McKinley's money—The counsel of Dr. Graves said that his trial take place in May—J. Sterling Morton of Nebraska is to be secretary of agriculture—Warren Dearborn, arrested for setting fire to the Collins house in West Newbury, Mass., was held in \$8000 bonds—The Hawaiian treaty was favorably reported by the senate committee on foreign relations—Both parties in the Kansas trouble signed an agreement to settle matters in the courts—The death of B. S. Johnson brings to light the fact that his son, Horace S., also dead, was a defaulter from the Haydensville (Mass.) Savings bank—Ed Kibby was arrested on suspicion of being concerned in the murder of James Cunningham near Haverhill, N. H.—The same rule bill passed the first reading in parliament—Edward de Coblenz, ex-M. P., who fled England to escape arrest, has been captured—A great syndicate, with \$100,000,000 or more, is back of a scheme to consolidate street railways of New England—Mrs. Andrew Borden's interest in her husband's property is revealed by papers which have been discovered.

Sunday, Feb. 19.
Mitchell has conceded to Corbett's demands and a fight is now certain. Papers are to be signed in Canada next Saturday—Irish leaders appeal to America for more funds—Peter Phillips, the wife snatcher, attempted suicide in the Palmer Mass. jail—Hugh O'Donnell, leader of the Homestead (Pa.) strikers, was acquitted on the charge of murder—Ed Kibby, suspected of the murder of James A. Cunningham at Haverhill, N. H., was released, the evidence not being sufficient to hold him—Ira G. Harney of Boston was chosen president of the National Association of Builders—Relatives of the late Frederick K. Fox of Hartford are trying to break his will—The Hawaiian consul general has made a protest on behalf of the heirs of Kamehameha V—There is a faction in the Dominican parliament opposing the Whitney coal syndicate—Representative Tarsney had a stroke of paralysis at Washington—The Rochester Paper company is unable to meet its obligations—The worst snowstorms for years occurred in several parts of the country—Governor Flower warmly commended Cleveland's selection of J. Sterling Morton for a cabinet portfolio—The Australian ballot system is to be adopted in Louisiana—Twelve cars were wrecked, two men killed and two injured on the Fitchburg railroad at Peabody, Mass.—A negro cook stabbed a white deck hand on board a Bridgeport (Conn.) steamer—The Art Publishing company's building at Gardner, Mass., was burned; loss more than \$125,000.

Monday, Feb. 20.
The Ohio river is above the danger line at Cincinnati—Democrats have no doubt if their control of the next senate—The house of lords is said to be ready to ill Gladstone's home rule bill—It is reported that Professors Briggs and Smith may form a new church—The demand for the dissolution of the French chamber is increasing—Captain Ives of the Yale crew says it will not row at the World's fair under any circumstances—The big teamer city of Boston is frozen into an ice lock in the Thames river at Norwich, Conn.—Scarlet fever is epidemic at Farmington, N. H. The schools will close until the disease is checked—The Brockton (Mass.) Central Labor union is now affiliated with the American Federation of labor—A St. Louis man is said to have invented a new process for making steel, which will reduce the cost one-half—The New York Catholic club passed resolutions favoring the restoration of the temporal power of the pope—The political situation in Kansas is practically unchanged—Appropriations may be tied up for two years—Secretary Foster decides that he has made arrangements with New York bankers to sell \$25,000,000 bonds in England—The Canadian Liberal party is to come out strongly against unexcused and urge tariff reduction and closer trade relations with the United States—Royal Phelps Carroll's steel & boiler, which is to go to England to see for the Cape May and Brenton's Reef apes, was launched from the south shop at the Herreshoff works at Bristol, R. I.

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—When the joint session of the Wyoming legislature met to ballot for senator, a notion to adjourn sine die was carried by two votes. The governor will appoint a senator. The house adjourned sine die without having the speaker sign the journal, and leaving 100 important bills at a standstill—George E. Spencer, ex-United States senator from Alabama, died at Washington Mr. Spencer had suffered from dropsy, but was able Saturday to visit the treasury department. Returning to his rooms he was seized with hemorrhage of the stomach, which was followed in the night by a stroke of paralysis.

Tuesday, Feb. 21.
A gale of wind and snow interrupted travel all over New England—Murderer Coy was denied a new trial, and unless Governor Russell intercedes he will hang—Professor Briggs says the report that he intends to establish a new church is without foundation—Dr. Martel was nominated for mayor of Lewiston, Me.—Martin Flaherty of Lowell, Mass., whipped Bobby Burns of Providence in 81 rounds—Colonel Thompson, chairman of the Panama Canal company's American committee, testified that all its business was honorably conducted—John C. Eno, the swindling ex-president of the Second National bank of New York, returned from Canada and gave himself up—Secretary Foster is not alarmed at the financial flurry in New York—A New York bartender hit Charlie Mitchell on the head with a bottle and knocked him down—Dr. Graves' new trial is set for May 22—The New York Yacht club has authorized Royal P. Carroll to challenge for the Victoria gold cup—General Beauregard, the noted Confederate leader, died at New Orleans. In the early part of the southern rebellion, the name of General Beauregard was spoken more frequently than that of any other southern soldier. He was the first rebel officer to win conspicuous fame. He had been recognized as a thorough soldier when serving the Union in Mexico and elsewhere, and when he joined the Confederacy and was placed in command, it was believed that the rebellion was largely strengthened. He was born near New Orleans on May 28, 1812—The Riding railroad passed into the hands of receivers. There was intense excitement in the stock markets. The jump is not likely to seriously affect the New York and New England and Boston and Maine—The Parnellites show dissatisfaction toward Mr. Gladstone's home rule bill—Captain Remington and his crew of three men were drowned by the wreck of the barge Reliance off Block Island—Shoe cutters at Haverhill, Mass., demand an advance, which the manufacturers refuse to grant—Stockholders of the Crescent mills, Fall River, Mass., who are heavy losers by crookedness of the treasurer, have decided to sell out—It is settled that the national senate will be Democratic without the aid of Populist votes.

Wednesday, Feb. 22.
The treasury balance is at the lowest point in a decade—Fred Gowling of Nashua is to succeed J. W. Patterson, ex-superintendent of public instruction, in New Hampshire—Pocasset Block, Fall River, Mass., was damaged by fire; loss to building and occupants, \$36,000—Yermonth Sons of Veterans chose George O. Webster commander in place of Frank L. Greene, retired—An anti-American paper in Mexico issued a warning against American influence—A political clique forced the resignation of President Leroy of the French senate—The Federation of Master Cotton Spinners in England decided to maintain the demand for a 5 per cent reduction in wages—Famine and disease are stalking through Finland, hundreds are dying daily of typhus—Two persons were killed in a railroad accident at Palmyra, N. Y.—Six cases of smallpox were discovered in a tenement house in Jersey City—Havana cigar makers closed their doors as a protest against an onerous tax—Chris Magee was overwhelmingly defeated by Bourly at the Pittsburg election—Official notice of Jackson's confirmation is being delayed in order that the president may not appoint his successor—The Holyoke (Mass.) city government abolished the board of fire commissioners and adopted other radical measures—Ex-Mayor Frederick M. Laughton was nominated for mayor by the Democrats at Bangor, Me.—The Berkshire marble quarry at Lee, Mass., has been sold for \$10,000 to creditors of the parties who were operating it—Michael T. Sliney was sentenced by Justice Ingraham in New York to be executed by electricity the week beginning April 10—Methodists feel slighted at the fact that they were allotted only 400 feet of space at the fair, while the Roman Catholics got 20,000—Brake-man John Murphy, while awaiting cars at the Naugatuck (Conn.) yard was run over, and the base of his skull was fractured. He will die—The house judiciary committee reported favorably the Hopkins resolution inquiring of the attorney general why he had not prosecuted the sugar trust—George W. Nisbett of New York, who was concerned in the forgery of the \$80,000 check on the Royal Insurance company, was sent to prison for five years.

Thursday, Feb. 23.
Cleveland's cabinet is completed as follows: Walter Q. Gresham of Illinois, secretary of state; John G. Carlisle of Kentucky, secretary of treasury; Wilson S. Bissell of New York, postmaster general; Daniel S. Lamont of New York, secretary of war; Hillary A. Herbert of Alabama, secretary of the navy; Richard Olney of Massachusetts, attorney general; Hoke Smith of Georgia, secretary of the interior; I. Sterling Morton of Nebraska, secretary of agriculture—Bleachery and dye works at Attleboro, Mass., were burned—The 8th annual reunion and banquet of Nim's Battery association occurred at Boston—Harvard college is to receive another big request in the shape of \$2,000,000 from a retired Massachusetts merchant, who desires that his name be kept from the publication.

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BOSTON TO ANDOVER. A. M. 5.55 acc. arrive in Andover 6.57; 7.30 acc. ar. 8.25; 9.30 acc. ar. 10.24; 10.25 acc. ar. 11.30; 11.30 acc. ar. 12.32 P. M. 12.06 ex. ar. 12.50; 12.30 ex. ar. 1.09; 2.15 ex. ar. 3.04; 2.30 acc. ar. 3.42; 3.20 ex. ar. 4.07; 4.02 acc. ar. 5.00; 4.30 ex. ar. 5.05; 5.00 ex. ar. 5.45; 6.00 ex. ar. 6.47; 6.35 acc. ar. 7.31; 7.00 acc. ar. 7.52; 9.25 ex. ar. 10.10; 11.15 ex. ar. 12.02. SUNDAY: A. M. 8.00 acc. ar. 9.06; 11.45 ar. 12.40. P. M. 5.00 acc. ar. 6.14; 6.00 ex. ar. 6.47; 7.00 acc. ar. 8.02.

ANDOVER TO LOWELL. A. M. 7.46 arrive in Lowell 8.35; 8.30 ar. 9.00; 9.47 ar. 10.37; 10.35 ar. 11.05; 11.10 ar. 11.45. P. M. 12.37 ar. 1.07; 2.47 ar. 3.17; 4.25 ar. 5.07; 5.30 ar. 6.17; 7.11 ar. 7.45; 9.40 ar. 10.10. SUNDAY: A. M. 8.25 ar. 9.19. P. M. 12.50 ar. 12.56; 4.32 ar. 5.01; 5.58 ar. 6.26; 7.52 ar. 8.32.

LOWELL TO ANDOVER. A. M. 8.30 ar. 8.56; 9.20 ar. 10.24; 10.55 ar. 11.30. P. M. 12.20 ar. 12.50; 1.00 ar. 1.26; 3.05 ar. 3.42; 3.30 ar. 4.06; 5.10 ar. 5.45; 6.15 ar. 6.47; 6.55 ar. 7.31; 11.30 ar. 12.02. SUNDAY: 8.20 ar. 9.06. P. M. 12.05 ar. 12.40; 5.35 ar. 6.14; 7.30 ar. 8.02.

ANDOVER TO LAWRENCE. A. M. 6.57, 8.23, 8.56, 10.24, 11.30. P. M. 12.32, 12.56, 1.09, 1.26, 3.04, 3.42, 4.05, 5.00, 5.45, 6.47, 7.31, 7.52. SUNDAY. A. M. 9.06. P. M. 12.40, 6.14, 6.47, 8.02.

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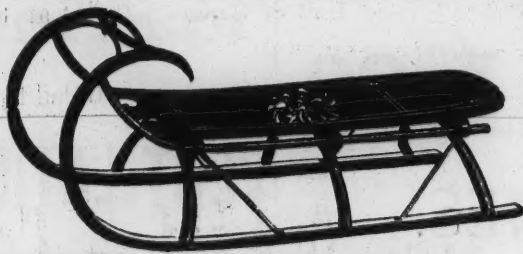
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"Le Roi Est Mort."

Next week will witness the withdrawal of Pres. Harrison from the White House and the end of a Republican administration. This affords occasion for a resume of some of the important events connected with the government since 1889.

When Gen. Harrison succeeded Mr. Cleveland, our country was involved in an unpleasant altercation with Canada and Great Britain, as to the fisheries and as to commerce. There had even been talk of fighting, and just before the election Pres. Cleveland issued a fiery proclamation, threatening retaliation, suspension of trade, etc. Mr. Blaine was called to the portfolio of State, and all became serene. A peaceful solution of the difficulties was found and still continues.

An effort had been made, in former years, to promote a closer intimacy of our country with the South American republics. Pres. Cleveland discouraged this; but Mr. Blaine secured the sitting of a representative congress of our Southern neighbors at Washington, the result of which has been very favorable to our trade, and will no doubt lead to still greater results hereafter.

The pacific attitude of our nation toward all others has brought about the settlement of misunderstandings with Spain and Germany, without the shedding of a drop of blood or ruffling the waters of the commercial world, so sensitive to "wars and rumors of wars." Italy's temporary indignation at the massacre of some of her subjects in New Orleans was quieted, and a firm but righteous response was made to her claims, resulting in an honorable adjustment and the renewal of diplomatic courtesies.

There remains still unsettled the vexatious question of seal-fishing in the Behring Sea, which has been evaded by Great Britain. At the last moment, Hawaii is to be annexed to our domain, at the instigation and request of the ruling classes in those islands.

Internally, there has been the passage by Congress of the McKinley tariff-bill, which has added to our industrial prosperity. Efforts to amend the vicious silver-legislation of past years have been made, but have proved futile. There have been some local disturbances in the labor-market, with deplorable incidents; but in general our population, among the most enterprising and intelligent on the globe, has pursued its way in the midst of quiet and contentment, accumulating this world's goods beyond all precedent in history. Production has been stimulated enormously, in every department of activity, and the United States is rapidly gaining on older nations for the pre-eminence of the world in wealth and its attendant influence.

Thus it may fairly be said that Pres. Harrison turns over the government to him who is now to assume the reins of executive control in a far better condition than when these relations were reversed.

There is one sad element in this retrospect. The President himself has been grievously afflicted in his family circle, by the death of his wife; and the members of his Cabinet have also been led down into the Valley of Sorrow in a similar manner. His chief counsellor, Mr. Blaine, after laying in the grave three of his beloved children, has himself also followed them to the silent tomb. Secretary Tracy lost his wife and daughter in a shocking manner, by fire; and others of the same official circle have seen their dear ones snatched away by death.

We have no doubt that Pres. Harrison is perfectly sincere when he avers that he shall retire from his exalted office with a sense of relief; and certainly he may take to himself the satisfaction of having presented to the country and the civilized world an example of dignity, simplicity, statesmanlike ability

and Christian grace in prosperity and adversity, which reflect upon him and his countrymen the highest degree of honor.

Somebody has set going the silly story that, if the Presbyterian General Assembly should decide ultimately against Profs. Briggs and Smith, they would form a new sect. This is mere chatter.

Washington's birthday is getting to be quite a popular holiday with the people, in spite of the fact that it comes in Lent. There never was a greater, nobler, more magnanimous man than he whom we delight to call the Father of his Country. Let the recurring anniversary of his birth be especially given up to the children in the public schools, would be our idea, for the enforcement of lessons of patriotism and morality.

Congress has passed, and the President has signed, a national quarantine law. It will be very much needed, next summer, we fear. It is better than none, but could have been improved.

The Future of the Town Caucus.

The strong feeling on the part of many republicans that has led to the call of a republican caucus for the nomination of town officers leads many of our thinking citizens to look about for some method that shall place the center where it belongs, at the polls. The argument that the citizens' caucus is in reality a democratic caucus is not founded on fact by a large majority, as a glance at the past ten years' action will prove.

Over eighty per cent of its nominations have been republican and the cry of "policy" does not disprove this assertion but rather shows narrowness and a shrinking from the proper discussion. But as long as this dissatisfaction is rife and as long as so many of our best citizens wish to keep party politics out of town affairs why not try the remedy provided for just such a state of affairs and so much liked in many places?

THE AUSTRALIAN BALLOT

puts every candidate on the same footing and more, gives every voter an equal chance. It provides for the placing of any name on the ballot that is endorsed by a certain number of voters and by its provision has in several towns done away with the caucus altogether. At the polls is the place to elect the officers and not at the caucus, but whether at the caucus or the polls, we believe it the duty of every citizen to think of the town's best interest above any thought of party when considering local matters.

The TOWNSMAN advocated this change two years ago, but "Sometimes change things don't go." We advocate it again to meet the exigency of a case more aggravated by recent events. Let the Australian ballot be tried in town election!

The understanding that Peter D. Smith was not again to be a candidate for Selectman has not brought into the field so many candidates as might be expected. At the solicitation of many friends Arthur Bliss has consented to stand, and his nomination at the caucus to-night seems almost assured, with a probability of its endorsement at the adjourned republican caucus next Tuesday night. Mr. Bliss is but little known in politics, something that is in his favor, but he is known as a business man of good judgment, positive opinions and one possessing a deep interest in town growth and improvement. There is every assurance that he would make an excellent official.

Andover is a rousing "No" town and may it always continue so. It always will if "No" keeps just as wide awake as his rum friend "Yes." Remember that your "No" vote this year is just as important as if the enemy of the home and nation were more noisy.

Our Legislature has once more gone on record upon the venerable subject of woman suffrage. In the lower branch, Tuesday, after a general debate, the bill was defeated, 97 to 88. But, like hope, this measure will doubtless "spring eternal"—unless it should succeed in time.

After all, Massachusetts is to be favored by an appointment in the new Cabinet. Mr. Cleveland has allowed it to be announced that he has selected Richard Olney of Boston for his attorney-general. This gentleman has not been identified much with politics, but he has earned an enviable reputation as a lawyer and possesses the requisite means for maintaining social amenities at Washington. His choice is a surprise, however, to the public and the party.

To Prevent the Grip

Or any other similar epidemic, the blood and the whole system should be kept in healthy condition. Take Hood's Sarsaparilla to give strength, purify the blood and prevent disease.

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The Missionary Meeting.

Of the four theological seminaries with the Andover institution, already announced in our columns, will take place next Friday, March 3. The sessions will begin at 11 A. M., and 3 and 7 P. M. During the day there will be essays and discussions by the student delegates. In the evening there will be a missionary rally, over which Pres. Smyth will preside, with addresses by leading clergymen from out of town who are interested in this phase of Christian work. The public will be welcome to all the meetings.

Quarterly Temperance Meeting.

The regular union meeting of the local churches, under the auspices of the W. C. T. U., was held at the Free Church on Sunday evening. The religious services were conducted by Rev. Messrs. Wilson and Clough, and the address was by Mr. John S. Colby of the Seminary.

Mr. Colby deprecated a heated discussion of controverted points, but expressed a desire to conform to facts and statements concerning which there could be no disagreement among intelligent and honest investigators. He claimed that indulgence in alcoholic beverages has a harmful effect, both on the body and on the mind; and referring to preventive precautions against the entrance of cholera from Europe, he developed a line of thought from that analogy. Total abstinence is a certain preventive of all the ills which flow from the dram-cup. This view he enforced with salient quotations from high authorities. He closed with a few energetic words, in opposition to a vote for license at the approaching March meeting.

Something Wrong.

It will, no doubt, surprise many of the readers of this to learn that there are not so many children in our town of school age to day as there were forty-one years ago. But such is the fact. In the school report of the town for the year 1851, we find it stated that the number of children between 5 and 15 years of age in town that year was 1031. In 1892, according to the school report, we have given 1011 as the number. By this, it appears that there were 20 more scholars in 1851 in Andover than in 1892. Yet, the amount of money raised for the support of our schools at the present time is more than four times larger than it was forty-one years ago when we had more scholars to provide for, and the cry is still for more. But no one will pretend that our scholars are four times more efficient, or that the advantages enjoyed by our children in the matter of education, are four times superior to what they were a generation ago, or, indeed, that these children are four times better qualified to act their parts in business and social life than their parents before them. The expenditure of money and the inauguration of new plans must be judged by their fruits. And if these fruits are not seen, why is all this waste? We might enlarge, but a word to the thoughtful citizen is sufficient.

TAXPAYER.

Ninety Years!

It is quite a rare thing to reach the age of 90 years in fairly good health and in a comfortable condition. But those who called on Mrs. Sophronia Gray last Saturday to congratulate her upon her arrival at this ripe old age, were surprised to find how active she was. A hundred or more offered her their best wishes. This very pleasant reception was given at the home of Mrs. Gray on Chestnut St., by her niece Mrs. F. H. Kendall. Mrs. Gray was born and has always lived in Andover, where she has been an interested and efficient worker in many a good cause. With the exception of impaired hearing and eyesight she retains her faculties, and is thoroughly interested in all affairs of the day. Having at different periods resided in the south, west, and central portions of the town she has acquired a wide circle of friends, and many who could not be present on this occasion sent messages of congratulation. She was the recipient of many substantial tokens of friendship and good-will as well as numerous letters from out of town friends, among which was the following original poem contributed by a grand-niece:

We send you greetings for this day
Which measures for you ninety years.
What a long life, we musing say,
What length of time for joys and tears!
What length of time for hope and cheer
And all that to this world endears!
Few are the ones to whom is given
A long lifetime of ninety years!
May you be blessed indeed to-day!
God give you faith in him to rest,
Faith that shall make these failing years
In happy trust and love—the best!
God give to you his presence sweet!
As strength departs and eyes grow dim,
Be sure that every earthly loss
And youth renewed, are found in Him.

Editor of the Townsman:

DEAR SIR, I received a card by mail recently, signed "A Parishoner," requesting me to preach from St. Matthew 18: 15-19, and asking that the time of preaching be announced in the TOWNSMAN. Will you kindly say for me to my unknown friend that I expect to preach on the subject he has assigned me next Sunday morning? And oblige

Truly yours,
FREDERIC PALMER.

February 24.

Town Warrant.

The following include the more important articles which will be presented in the town warrant, outside of the regular appropriations and other routine business:

To choose Town Clerk, tax collector, treasurer, one member of the board of Selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor, three members of the school committee for three years, one trustee of Memorial Hall for seven years, a committee of seven for the Spring Grove Cemetery.

Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors?

To hear the reports of the committees on drainage and a public park, and act thereon.

To see what sum of money the Town will appropriate for making surveys, plans and estimates for a complete system of sewerage.

To see if the Town will re-appropriate \$1,028 for the extension of Morton Street, (formerly Pike Street), as laid by the Selectmen and accepted by the town.

To see if the Town will appropriate money for the distribution of library books in the outlying districts.

To see if the Town will accept the bequest of the late John Cornell, which gives \$5,000 in trust, the income to be used in the purchase of wood and coal for the worthy poor, and choose a board of trustees to have charge of said fund.

To see if the Town will authorize the water commissioners to issue \$10,000 worth of bonds.

To see if the Town will pay Silas Buck the value of his horse, killed while taking the J. P. Bradley engine to the fire at William Haley's, April 12, 1892.

To see if the Town will vote to enlarge the culverts under Bartlett and East Chestnut Streets.

To see if the Town will vote to elect its members of the board of Selectmen for a term of one year, instead of three years as at present.

To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen or engineers to sell one of the steam fire engines.

Character Party.

The evening of Washington's birthday was honored at Abbot Academy by a "Character Party." Draper Hall was gay with "fair women," and though some few noted heroes were present, yet many "brave men" were lacking—Heloise wished in vain for Abelard, Fortia sighed for Bassanio, and smooth-haired Samantha alone represented the Allen family, as her husband had "put up at the tavern."

At this remarkable gathering the characters of Shakespeare and of Mother Goose shook hands. Little Bo-peep, Miss Muffet, and Jack and Jill fraternized with the sad, mad Hamlet and the fair and melancholy Ophelia. It was at Abbot also that "Greek met Greek," for Diogenes in his search for "a man" found a sweet substitute in Sappho. George and Lady Washington and the Empress Josephine, with her two fair maids of honor, were friendly with such simple folk as gypsies and Indians. John Alden and Priscilla, and Romeo and Juliet were as fond as ever; and for Rosalind and Orlando, if they were separated even for a moment, Orlando was willing to ask Cinderella's proud sisters to direct him to his true love.

As a further illustration of the good feeling which existed between the guests from many lands, it may be mentioned that laurel-crowned Virgil associated with Baby Ruth and the President's grand-child; "Alice in Wonderland" asked questions of Evangeline and the Witch, while Topsy talked to Lady Teazle. Rowena and Rebecca forgot to think of Ivanhoe while watching a maid hanging clothes on unsuspecting guests, and who was attended by that black bird so well-known to well-read persons because of its famed propensity and nip nogg.

Characters from Romola made friends with Andrey and saucy Touchstone—in short, no place but in America where equality is the watch-word could such a gathering have taken place. It was as if the books in the library had opened their covers and let free their prisoned characters for one merry social evening.

Geology Lectures at Abbot Academy.

The course of lectures in Geology which is to follow immediately upon Prof. Charles Smith's course, in literature, is to consist of a series of eight lectures to be given Monday evenings beginning March 8th, and to continue into April and May of the Spring term. The Academy has been so fortunate as to secure the services of Dr. T. W. Harris of Harvard University, who is also one of the lecturers before the young ladies of the Harvard Annex. Dr. Harris writes, "I shall make the course a general one, touching on the principal themes with which geology deals, but calling special attention to such phenomena as the pupils can easily observe for themselves anywhere, in this part of the country. I shall emphasize also the close relation of our every-day life which geology has through its many economic applications." Such a plan as this promises that the lectures will be interesting to all and quite practical. Any who are interested in the subject are cordially invited to take tickets for the course. These can be obtained next week, by application at the Academy, and they will also be on sale at Mr. Cole's Bookstore. The price for this course of eight lectures will be one dollar and a half.

Obituary.

Mrs. Mary Augusta Roberts was the daughter of George French, a prosperous young farmer residing on the estate now owned by Mr. Geo. Pillsbury. The late Hiram W. French was his youngest brother. A sister, Mrs. Sarah French Gleason, was the mother of the beautiful girl adopted by the late Benj. Punchard. Mr. Joseph French, Superintendent of public schools in New Haven, is also a cousin of Mrs. Roberts. Mrs. Roberts had one sister who died forty years ago, and a brother, Mr. George W. French, recently deceased in Davenport, Ia. Her great-grandmother on her maternal side, still remembered by a few survivors, since she lived to see nearly a hundred years, was a woman of remarkable vigor and capacity of affairs. Indeed, she ranks among the heroines of the Revolutionary War. Like other women of that time, she carried on the farm, doing most of the work with her own hands in the absence of her soldier husband, and adding the care of other children to that of her own numerous flock.

In Mrs. Roberts re-appeared the strong will, the energy, and efficiency of this ancestor. But in her they were combined with a rare sensibility to beauty, both in nature and in art. Throughout a life which had its full share of burdens and of buffetings, there was ever an instinctive out-reaching after the aesthetic, a hunger for the ideal and unattainable. Also from this ancestor she seems to have inherited that marvellous tenacity of life, which was the wonder of nurses and physicians.

Both father and mother died when she was yet a child. Often during her last months, when her mind was busy with the retrospect of life, she recounted the hardships of the years which followed her father's death, when from the lot of a petted and favorite child she suddenly passed to a life of pitiful drudgery. A new guardian brought light and uplifting, taking her into his own household, where she was cherished as a daughter till her marriage to Mr. James A. Roberts, at the age of nineteen. Her guardian was a trustee of Abbot Academy. When he placed her in that institution the experiment was in progress of a boarding house which should be partly self-supporting, the young ladies doing all the housework under the direction of a matron. One of her fellow-boarders was Miss Seraphina Haynes, afterwards Mrs. Everett, whose life story is told in The Missionary Sisters.

Mrs. Roberts' first home after her marriage was in Frye Village, then a centre of much more business than at present. Lawrence was just springing into existence and much trade came from that direction, beside much from other directions which Lawrence has now absorbed. When Lawrence began to divert trade to itself Mr. Roberts entered the leather business in Boston, removing his residence to the centre of the town.

While living on Central Street a little daughter died, and a few years later, when they had moved to Abbott Street, a dreadful calamity befell Mr. and Mrs. Roberts. A lovely little boy, Jamie, just at the most bewitching age, was fatally burned, having set fire to his clothing with matches during a brief absence of his mother from the room. Again in recent years did the mother witness the sudden, agonizing death of a son, her eldest, and in the early months of her widowhood.

Bereavements, business reverses, trials many and sore all combined did not embitter her spirit or make her either morbid or misanthropic. It was the pleasant experiences that she recalled and lived over again as life waned; her travels in Europe and in Mexico, the agreeable acquaintances she had formed, the wonderful deliverances out of perplexity and trouble, the successes and the love of her three remaining children.

Nothing more impressed those with whom she talked most freely than the purification wrought in her by suffering, the spirit of forgiveness banishing old resentments, her love of spiritual things. "I used," she said, "to look forward with great desire to see my husband and children in the other life, but now I long most to see Jesus." More and more as "the silver cord was loosed" the longing grew intense that all her loved ones should "seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness. Her last words were the joyful utterance of her assurance that God would hear her prayers. It was not painful to her at any time to speak of the great change approaching. It attracted her.

The thoughtful kindness of those who kept her room adorned with choicest flowers profoundly affected her. With tearful eyes she would exclaim as new floral beauties were brought to her bedside, "Why do they send them to me! I am not worthy." A few days ago she requested the writer to make some public expression of her gratitude for all these gifts.

The snow drifting to-day over the lovely flowers laid upon her grave casts no chill upon the land whither our beloved have entered. Within the gates of pearl no tempests moan. There they hunger no more, neither for beauty or melody or human sympathy and affection. Thanks be unto Him who brings in thither the weary feet of forgiven sinners.

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Ripans Tabules cure the blues.
Ripans Tabules cure dizziness.
Ripans Tabules cure headache.
Ripans Tabules cure bad breath.

South Church Fair very Successful.

The Town Hall was fairly crowded Friday evening, the second and last night of the South Church fair. The principal attraction of the evening was the "Deer-trick Skule," under the charge of Supt. Baldwin as teacher. The comical costumes and actions of the many pupils made it a very amusing thing for the audience. The fan drill was given again by request and the twelve young ladies again distinguished themselves. The sales were very brisk and there was not enough left to auction off, as fairs usually have to do. The fair was a grand success throughout and all those who aided in any way in making it such, may well have a personal pride in the very gratifying result. It is not known exactly how much money was made, but it is thought that there will be in the vicinity of \$500 after all expenses have been paid.

Frye Village.

Mrs. John Sargent, sister of Mrs. C. H. Bell, is here on a visit from California. She expects to stay through the spring and summer.

Mrs. Jefferson K. Cole and daughter of Peabody have been visiting at Mrs. Jonathan Poor's.

Last Friday evening a number of the young friends of Jennie Ritchie tendered her a genuine surprise party. She was presented with a handsome emerald ring.

The Village School has been having "reception day" this afternoon. In the Senior room the exercises, appropriate to Washington's birthday, which were to have occurred Tuesday were given.

Sunday Services for Feb. 26.

SOUTH CHURCH.—Preaching at 10.30 A.M. and 7.15 P.M. Sunday School at noon, and Y. P. S. C. E. meeting after the evening service.

CHRIST CHURCH.—Morning service at 10.30 Rev. Frederic Palmer will preach. Sunday School at 12. Afternoon service at 4.30.

FREE CHURCH.—Prayer meeting at 10. Sermon at 10.30 by Rev. F. A. Wilson. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15. Evening service at 7.

CHAPEL.—Morning service at 10.30. Afternoon service 4.30. Rev. W. F. Stearns will preach.

WEST CHURCH.—Preaching service at 10.30 by Rev. F. W. Greene. Sunday School at 12 M. Evening service at 7 in the vestry, also in Osgood and Abbott districts.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—Preaching at 10.30. Sunday School at close of forenoon service. Evening service at 7.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH.—Services at 8.30 A.M. and 3.30 P.M. 10.30 A.M. High Mass and sermon.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, BALLARDVALE.—Preaching service at 10.30 A.M., followed by Sunday School. Praise and gospel service at 7.

Advertised Letters.

Unclaimed letters advertised Feb. 20.

Cunningham, Frank
Day, Miss
Fletcher, Clara B.
Fletcher, Clara
Foodbus, Frank H.
Hutchins, Lavinia
Leavitt, Wm.
McDonald, E. C. F.
Milton, Nellie
McGowan, Henry A.
Phelps, W. W. (2)
Rundlett, F. D.
Shaw, Geo. W.
Taylor, W. P.

Cornell, F. C.
Davis, Mamie E.
Fowler, Victor
Galloway, Jessie
Greenough, Mrs. Susan
Hutchinson, Harvey
Mather, O. S.
Mack, Annie
McMullen, Patrick
Owen, James
Pearce, I. A.
Joseph, Eliza
Sherman, E.
Wilkes, Robert P.

BIRTHS.

In Melrose, Feb. 21, a son to Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Brown.

In North Andover, Feb. 16, a son to Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Kelley.

MARRIAGES.

In Lawrence, Feb. 22, by Rev. Thomas Spooner, Clarence M. Austin and Florence A. Lewis, both of Lawrence.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

ESSEX SS.
To the Heirs-at-Law and others interested in the Estate of Emily F. Raymond, (otherwise called Emily F. M. Raymond) late of Andover, in said county, (wife of Samuel Raymond) deceased, testate.

GREETING:
WHEREAS, George H. Poor, the executor of the last will and testament of said deceased has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lawrence, in said county, on the second Monday of March, next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And the said executor is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, in the ANDOVER TOWNSMAN, a newspaper printed at Andover, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of February, in the year eighteen hundred and ninety-three.

J. T. MAHONEY, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

ESSEX SS.
To all persons interested in the Estate of George Mears, late of Andover, in said County, an insane person, (now deceased).

GREETING:
WHEREAS, Samuel H. Boutwell, the guardian of said ward, has presented for allowance the first and final account of his guardianship.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lawrence, in said County, on the second Monday of March, next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And the said guardian is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, in the ANDOVER TOWNSMAN, a newspaper printed at Andover, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of February, in the year eighteen hundred and ninety-three.

J. T. MAHONEY, Register.

BALLARDVALE.

The Octo-Volens fair next Wednesday evening promises to be a very pretty affair. The various features provided for the entertainment are excellent. There will be tables for the sale of fancy articles and refreshments, as well as the usual features peculiar to all fairs.

The heavy snow has drifted so badly here as seems to be the case all over this section, but Mr. Buck and his snowplough have kept the sidewalks reasonably clear, and the roads are now passable.

A rumor has been published and circulated about town that Mr. L. A. M. Von Grave had resigned his position at the lamp factory. This rumor Mr. Von Grave wishes denied. The ill health of his wife compels him to give up house-keeping. He will board in Andover for the present or until Mrs. Von Grave recovers her health.

The revival services are still being held at the M. E. Church and will be continued this week and probably next.

Mr. Matthew Caffrey of this place was married to Mrs. Sadie Donovan of Saco, Me., the 14th inst. Mr. Caffrey who is well known here is a freight conductor on the Boston and Maine Railroad and is a son of Mr. James Caffrey and a brother to our popular barber, Owen Caffrey. A reception was held at the home of his parents on River Street last Thursday evening. The happy couple received many presents besides innumerable congratulations and good wishes for their future prosperity.

A pleasant private dance was given in Bradlee Hall last Saturday night in honor of Miss Mattie Stark who was presented with a pretty figure. A good number were present.

Mr. S. M. Spedon of New York gave his unique entertainment in the Bradlee Course, Wednesday evening, and those who were brave enough to venture through the snow were well repaid for their trouble. Mr. Spedon is editor of Talent the art paper, and is on Godey's Lady's Book staff. He has been connected with Frank Leslie's and other well known journals, furnishing sketches, cartoons and caricatures. His entertainment has, as he says in his introduction, something in it to please every one.

The title "Character and Characteristics" gives a hint as to its make-up. He sketches types common in every audience and on the street, draws cartoons and familiar faces in public life. He will put a bit of a landscape in his paper in a very few moments which will rank as a work of art. During all this drawing he keeps up a fluent talk most of the time with his back to the audience describing the characteristics depicted on his sketch board. He gives many valuable and interesting facts in connection with it all. It is not a cheap entertainment in any sense of the word but will please the most refined audience.

Violating Parlor Car Rules.

"I have violated the rules laid down by Mr. George M. Pullman every time I have ridden on a railroad train in the past two years," said Mrs. Robert Vernon of New York as she and her husband were preparing to leave the parlors of the Lindell for a walk the other day. "You know, I'd never think of traveling without my little dog Nellie—named after me, you know—she's such an affectionate little thing and worries so much when I leave her behind me. Now, when Bob goes on the road I frequently take trips with him, and of course Nellie comes too. The first trip we took her with us we had to leave her in the baggage car, and in the morning the poor thing was nearly dead with fright. Then I made up my mind I'd have her with me or quit traveling.

"In Philadelphia I noticed women carrying dark green cloth bags on the street and found that they were called 'cabas,' and they carried most everything in them. Well, I made one for Nellie, and she travels across the country now in a cabas. Pullman conductors think it's a package of clothing or anything else they like, for Nellie never moves. She is perfectly content to know that I am close by her and would rather keep quiet than ride in the baggage car. Oh, don't tell me that dogs don't know anything. You do, don't you, Nellie?"—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Wedding Cakes, New Style.

Who was the inventor of the new wedding cake? Whoever he was he deserves immortalizing, for his was a brilliant idea, one I should have been "real proud of" myself had I thought of it. In the wedding cake of more ancient type there was always a thick layer of white sugar which nobody cared about, a medium layer of almond paste which everybody wished for and did not always get, and an immense quantity of cake of which many only ate a few crumbs. The latest specimen has a thin layer of sugar, only just enough to look pretty, and underneath are alternate layers of cake and almond paste, one as thick as the other.

The consequence is that no one is defrauded of their lawful share of almond paste or "love," as it is usually called, and for purposes of distribution it is far better, as the contents of the box do not crumble away nearly so much as they did when the principal portion was cake alone. If only some one would invent a box which could not be rifled and was bound to reach its lawful destination, we should have nothing left to desire.—London Gentlewoman.

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A gray wolf-skin robe with red striped lining, between Thomas Murphy's store on Main Street and Hannah Woodbridge's on Highland Road. The finder will be suitably rewarded by returning same to S. M. JONES, Milk Dealer.

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M. Schambler of Manchester has been a long time in the business, and is desirous to take any place. He represented seven years in Canada, the Grand Company of Tobacco at Joliet, P.Q. Address, A. F. SCHAMBLER, 174 McGregor St., West Manchester, N. H.

CABINET COMPLETED.

Herbert of Alabama is Made Secretary of the Navy.

Richard Olney, a Prominent Lawyer of Boston and a Native of Massachusetts, Will Be Attorney General.

Walter Q. Gresham of Illinois, secretary of state.

John G. Carlisle of Kentucky, secretary of the treasury.

Daniel S. Lamont of New York, secretary of war.

Richard Olney of Massachusetts, attorney general.

Wilson S. Bissell of New York, postmaster general.

Hilary A. Herbert of Alabama, secretary of the navy.

Hoke Smith of Georgia, secretary of the interior.

J. Sterling Morton of Nebraska, secretary of agriculture.

Cleveland's Announcement.

LAKEWOOD, N. J., Feb. 23.—Mr. Cleveland announced last evening that he had completed his cabinet by the selection of Richard Olney of Boston, for attorney general, and Hilary A. Herbert of Alabama, for secretary of the navy.

The selection of Mr. Herbert for the navy has been expected for several days; but Mr. Olney's selection is a surprise to everybody, particularly to the friends of George A. Jenks.

Mr. Olney has not held any political positions or been prominent in political matters, but is known as one of the leading lawyers and substantial citizens of Boston.

Mr. Herbert has been in congress for many years, and has acted as chairman of the naval committee of the house. He is thoroughly familiar with the work which has been done toward placing the United States navy on a proper footing.

About Mr. Olney.

Richard Olney was born in Oxford, Mass., Sept. 15, 1835, and was graduated at Brown university in the class of 1856.

He studied at the Harvard law school and entered the law office of Judge Benjamin F. Thomas in 1859.

In his chosen profession he advanced rapidly and for some years has ranked among the foremost lawyers of the Suffolk bar.

He was for many years counsel for the Eastern Railroad company, and upon the consolidation became counsel for the Boston and Maine, which position he still holds.

Mr. Olney is an "old line" Democrat, but has never been in any sense a politician, although he served with distinction in the lower branch of the legislature in 1874.

Fire in an Insane Hospital.

AUGUSTA, Me., Feb. 23.—Fire was discovered yesterday afternoon in the middle floor of Sanborn hall in the Maine insane hospital. Smoke was pouring into the hall opposite the dining room, and it attracted attention to the blaze which was issuing from the heating flue. A patient had pushed a paper into the flue and had lighted it from a gas jet. The fire was under control in less than 10 minutes. Little damage was done.

Five Lucky Youngsters.

HARTFORD, Feb. 23.—Five boys, from 12 to 14 years old, discovered a large number of bank bills in the cellar of a house in the rear of 45 Main street. The boys were mending their double-ripper, and one of them discovered the package, which they shared among them. The money is estimated at \$5000. No clue to the owner has been found.

Stricken With Paralysis.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Representative Tarnsey of Missouri, while at church yesterday, had an acute attack of nervous prostration, and on his way home suffered a stroke of paralysis which partially disabled one side. He is now at his hotel in a serious condition. The physicians say he will have to give up all thought of work for some time to come.

Almost Dead When Found.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Feb. 23.—Thomas Sackett was found unconscious and nearly dead in a barn he occupied in Westfield. He had not been seen since Monday, and yesterday the house at which he was staying was opened by his relatives. He will die. It is supposed that he was taken with a congestive chill and was unable to call for help.

Canadian Tolls Removed.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—The president issued a proclamation removing the tolls levied on Canadian vessels and cargoes in the Sault Ste. Marie canal, in consequence of the Dominion government adopting an order in council removing the discriminations against American vessels passing through the Canadian canals.

The Crescent Mills Trouble.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Feb. 23.—The offer made for the purchase of the Crescent mills came from large stockholders of the Merchants' mill, whose plant is directly opposite, and is partially dependent on it for legal riparian rights. There does not seem to be any doubt that the offer will be accepted.

No Cholera at Amesbury.

AMESBURY, Mass., Feb. 23.—A dispatch in New York papers states that there are 3000 cases of winter cholera in Amesbury on account of poor drinking water. The report is unqualifiedly false, no cases of the disease having occurred here, and the drinking water from driven wells is of the best.

Goaded to Desperation.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Feb. 23.—Race prejudice caused Joseph Allen, a negro cook on the steamer Nutmeg State, to stab a white deck hand named James Keegan, five times in the shoulder, inflicting serious wounds. Keegan constantly taunted Allen.

Kibby Set Free.

HANOVER, N. H., Feb. 23.—Edward Kibby, suspected of the murder of James A. Cunningham, was released without a formal hearing. He was cross-questioned by the officers, but the evidence was not sufficient to hold him.

McKinley Will Not Resign.

CLEVELAND, Feb. 23.—Governor McKinley was questioned in regard to the report that he may resign his office as governor of Ohio. He stated most positively that there is no truth in the report.

The Topoka Muddle Settled.

TOPEKA, Feb. 18.—The governor has signed the peace agreement. The troops are to be sent home, the militia disbanded, and the Republicans to be left in possession of the house.

OLD GLORY AT THE PEAK.

President Harrison Unfurled Our Flag on the Steamer New York.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—The big steamer New York now flies the American national flag. It was unfurled by President Harrison and the entrance of the New York, formerly the British steamer City of New York, into the American merchant marine was celebrated with appropriate ceremonies. The special train carrying President Harrison and his party reached Jersey City at 11 o'clock. Accompanying the president were Secretary Rusk, Postmaster General Wamamaker, Secretary Tracy, members of congress, navy and army officers and other prominent men. The Washington party were taken to the New York, where they were welcomed by President Grieson of the International Navigation company.

The Howard Carroll carried a number of guests from this city. A guard from the naval reserve was present. President Harrison hoisted the flag and a salute was fired by the United States cruiser Chicago, which was anchored in the North river, near the New York. At the close of the ceremonies on deck a banquet was served in the cabin, at which informal speeches were made.

STRIKE IN PROSPECT.

Haverhill Shoe Cutters Will Insist Upon an Advance in Wages.

HAVERHILL, Mass., Feb. 21.—The matter of a new price list, recently submitted to the shoe manufacturers by cutters' assembly No. 1398, Knights of Labor, which asks an increase of 25 cents a day for cutting, is creating considerable uneasiness in the shoe district. Nearly one-half of the cutters employed in the factories are Knights of Labor, and are, as a whole, skilled and steady men.

A committee from the assembly held a conference with the manufacturers yesterday in reference to the matter, and the result was that the manufacturers refused to grant the advance. They generally agreed, however, to refer the subject to the board of conciliation for settlement, which proved satisfactory to the Knights of Labor committee.

A strong effort is being made to prevent a strike, but the present indications are that a strike must come, especially in the factories where the manufacturers do not belong to the board of conciliation. The cutters say they mean business, and the fight for an advance in pay will be a determined one.

Scheme Didn't Work.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Feb. 20.—A desperate attempt was made some time Saturday night or Sunday morning to burn a large wooden building on Penhallow street. The building was occupied by a man named Hubley. The incendiary broke out a cellar window and threw a quantity of inflammable material, saturated with kerosene, into the cellar. The combustibles fortunately landed in a coal bin and failed to ignite anything.

A Thirty-Two Rounder.

PROVIDENCE, Feb. 21.—In the gamiest and pluckiest ring contest that ever occurred in this state, Martin Flaherty of Lowell, Mass., defeated Bobby Burns in 32 rounds by complete knockout. Half a dozen times Flaherty was saved by the bell in the earlier rounds. He was repeatedly knocked down, and took terrific punishment on the belly and jaw throughout the entire contest.

Governor McKinley Assigns.

CLEVELAND, Feb. 23.—Governor McKinley has assigned all his property to three of his friends for the equal benefit of his creditors. Mrs. McKinley executed a deed putting all her property in the hands of a trustee, who is to do with it whatever he thinks best toward settling up the obligations incurred in the Walker endorsements.

Gladstone's Bill.

LONDON, Feb. 20.—Mr. Gladstone's home rule bill provides, in brief: That two houses are to sit in Dublin to make laws for Ireland; shall have no powers to declare war or peace; local revenues are to be applied to local uses, and customs are to be collected for the crown; the supreme court of appeal to decide disputed questions.

Actor Under Arrest.

NEW HAVEN, Feb. 23.—Sheriff Woolworth of Saratoga county, N. Y., last night caused the arrest of Edward Maynard, an actor with the French Folly company, now playing here. He is charged with stealing a \$150 watch from Mary Wraspe of Mechanicville, N. Y. He says he can prove his innocence.

General Beauregard is Dead.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 23.—General Pierre Gustave Toutant Beauregard, the famous Confederate general, died at his home in this city last night. He had been sick for two weeks, and was declared at the point of death 10 days ago, but was seemingly recovering when a sudden and unexpected change carried him off.

Burned to Death.

BOSTON, Feb. 18.—Five-year-old Harry Hope was badly burned at his home in Charlestown yesterday and died at the general hospital later in the day from the effects of his injuries. The little fellow had been left alone in the house, and while playing about the stove his clothing caught fire.

An Alleged Railroad Deal.

NEW HAVEN, Feb. 23.—It is rumored here that a Boston syndicate has purchased the Fair Haven and Westville railway, the price being placed at \$1,000,000. The president of the company, however, denies that the road has been sold. Many believe, however, that negotiations are in progress.

In a Miserable Plight.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 23.—Famine and disease are now prevalent throughout Finland. Some 500,000 peasants are barely able to find the means of subsistence. They have seen most of their draught animals and their domestic pets. Typhus fever is carrying off hundreds daily.

Aggie Harvey Breaks the Record.

SYRACUSE, Feb. 20.—In the six-day, eight-hours-a-day race, Aggie Harvey of Pittsburgh broke the world's record for women for that time by walking 300 miles and one lap. Mollie Harvey, her sister, made the old record, 180 miles, at Duluth, last fall.

Forty Thousand Less Votes.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Feb. 20.—The legislature has passed the Saylor election bill and the governor will sign it. The act provides for the Australian ballot, and its effect will be to disfranchise 40,000 illiterate negro voters in this state.

Served Him Right.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Feb. 23.—Judge Robinson sentenced Philip Kendrick, who attempted to criminally assault Ella Harris of Shelburne in January, to serve seven and one-half years in state prison.

EXTINCTION OF THE KISS.

Sanitary Science Invading the Sacred Realm of Romantic Sentiment.

The kiss of affection and romantic love is celebrated in the song and story of all ages. Sacred literature justifies and honors the holy kiss of religious sympathy and fellowship. The meeting of the lips has always been with our race the universal and natural and spontaneous expression of the most tender sentiment.

Now sanitary science pushes itself forward to degrade the kiss to the level of sewer gas and the many agencies by which noxious and infectious disease is propagated. It is demanding the abolition of the practice as a remnant of barbarous ignorance of the laws of health. It would subordinate romantic sentiment to cautious prudence and forbid the lover to embrace his sweetheart, even as a seal of their betrothal, until they are able to produce medical certificates that they are free from the transmissible germs of disease.

For several years past prudent parents, under the instruction of their physicians, have guarded their young children jealously against the indiscriminate kissing which was once in vogue, lest those poisonous germs be transmitted to the babies. It is a reasonable precaution, for undoubted danger exists, and as the germ theory of disease is more generally accepted peril of such contact is appreciated the more intelligently.

If, then, there is a serious risk for children in careless kissing, say the preachers of sanitary science, it is a risk which older people must avoid also. Even the cherry red and pouting lips of beauty may convey material poison along with the rapture of love they express so romantically. The most ardent manifestation of masculine devotion may be the means of planting the seeds of disease which will bring forth a fruitful crop of maladies sent down through generations. So says science.

Accordingly the secretary of the Ohio board of health has been urging the Pastors' union of Sandusky to use their influence to put a stop to the practice of unscientific kissing or kissing which is not carefully restrained by sanitary laws. He also warns them of the danger of using the same wine cup in administering the rite of the holy communion to different persons. He would not let women kiss each other after the prevailing fashion, and of course he disapproves the kissing of babies by every chance comer, and he would prevent kissing among the babies themselves.

Thus cold and prudential science is invading the realm of tender and romantic, poetic and religious sentiment and destroying as a pesthouse the very temple in which the love of all ages has offered up its worship. It is an appalling revolution.—New York Sun.

Spelling in Dreams.

That incorrect spelling may be said to be inherent in the understanding seems to be proved by the fact that when had spellers see inscriptions or written sentences in their dreams the words are misspelled as they would misspell them. A notoriously bad speller once related that he had seen in a dream a great black cat with a collar round his neck bearing the inscription, "King Solomon's Cat."

"That is very interesting," said a friend, who was curious to see if by any chance correct orthography had been revealed to the dreamer along with his vision. "Won't you please write that sentence down for me, just as you saw it on the cat's collar?"

The dreamer took a pencil and wrote, "King Solomon's Cattle."—Youth's Companion.

What a Newsboy Thought.

Two dirty, ragged, wicked little newsboys sat up in the gods' gallery. The play was "Hamlet." The curtain fell on the last act. Hamlet had killed the false Claudius; the Queen is dying by poison; Laertes writhed at the feet of the princely Dane, himself dying of secret hurts. Neither boy had spoken nor moved from his position, clutching the grimy railing with grimy hands. The crowd about them rose noisily. It was time to go. Then the younger of the two spoke, his eyes big with excitement:

"Golly! Wouldn't that make a bully entry to holler!"—Kate Field's Washington.

How Trees Resist Winds.

There are pines so lofty that they resemble cathedral towers, and roots of a pine tree are peculiar and resemble the claws of birds. They cling to the light, sandy soil of the south with an animal-like grasp that defies the wildest winds to shake them from their hold. The oak is always made stronger by the wintry winds which cause its roots to strike still deeper into the soil until the hold is so great that nothing can uproot it or cause it to lose its hold.—Boston Transcript.

A Girl at a Matinee.

"Oh, dear," a girl was overheard saying as the curtain went slowly down on the thrilling climax of the third act, "I'm crying like a baby. If only the lights wouldn't be turned right on!" They were, though, pitilessly, and the only consolation the young woman probably found was that other eyes were streaming and other noses shining as well as hers.—New York Times.

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Brimstone,	Package Dyes,
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Carriage Top Dressing,	Plaster Paris,
Castile Soap,	Potash,
Castor Oil,	Putty,
Chalk, white and red,	Putz Pomade,
Chamois Skins,	Salad Colors,
Colors, dry and in oil,	Rock Salt for horses,
Copper Rivets,	Roof Paint Oil,
Coppers,	Rosin,
Corks,	Rubber Tubing,
Cream Tartar,	Rubber Wagon Springs,
Downer's Kerosene,	Salem Lead,
Dyewood,	Saltpetre,
Emery Paper,	Sand Paper,
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Enamelled Cloth,	Shellac,
Epsom Salts,	Silver Leaf,
Feather Dusters,	Sperm Oil,
Furniture Polish,	Spirits Nitro,
Galvanized Iron Pails,	Starch,
Glass, all sizes,	Stearine,
Glauber Salt,	Sulphur,
Glue, all grades,	Tar,
Glycerine,	Tripple,
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The Freak of a Bullet.

There used to be a hotel clerk in St. James, La., who had a remarkable story of the freak of a bullet. He told it with great warmth and with such an air of truth that it would be hard to believe that he had fabricated it. The story, about the way he used to tell it, was this:

"I got my memory back and a bullet on the tongue in a jiffy. Yes, sir, a jiffy. Look right there between my eyes. See that scar? That's where the bullet went in. I don't know how far in it went, but I know that it didn't come out; at least it didn't for a long time. Well, I went ahead about my work with a bullet in my brain, and I felt pretty queer all the time."

"I didn't seem to have much memory, and sometimes I felt pretty queer and heard queer kinds of noises. One day I sat down to breakfast. I'd been feeling better for some time past. I had begun to remember things. So I was just sitting down at breakfast, remembering things and eating buckwheat cakes with syrup when I felt something plump down on my tongue."

"There goes that blamed eyetooth," said I.

"What's the matter, William?" said my wife.

"Eyetooth dropped out, I reckon," said I.

"Then I brought the eyetooth down between my teeth and took it out with my fingers. Well, sir, it wasn't no eyetooth at all, but a bullet. You bet I was surprised. It was the same bullet that had gone in between my eyes."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

A Singular Man.

The Hon. Henry Cavendish was a mathematician, astronomer, geologist, alchemist, recluse and eccentric. Mr. Cavendish was intensely shy. He had quite a diseased aversion to all and especially to female society. The only way to get him to speak was never to look at him. Talk, as it were, into a vacancy, then it was not unlikely that he might be set going. Nevertheless men were a trouble to him and women an intolerable nuisance. We mention this as an eccentricity, but there are doubtless many men who share his prejudice. He avoided communication with his female housekeeper by depositing notes on the hall table.

A female servant he would never see. If an unlucky maid showed herself she was instantly dismissed. In his villa at Clapham he had a second staircase built so that he might prevent the almost inevitable encounters with the hated sex. To Mr. Cavendish's town house in Gower street few visitors were admitted. The favored ones who crossed its threshold reported that books and the necessary apparatus for a science student were its chief furniture.—Temple Bar.

Animal Worship.

Mr. J. McLennan, in his paper on "The Worship of Plants and Animals," calls our attention to many evidences that the early Romans, as well as the Greeks, worshipped totems. The Old Testament records show many indications of animal worship among the Israelites, which must have lasted for ages before the prohibition inculcated in the second line of the decalogue was formulated. At a comparative late date "Jehovah was worshipped under the popular symbol of a bull, while the 12 oxen upholding the laver in Solomon's temple, as well as the horns adorning the altar, were drawn from the prevalent bull worship." Modern research has also proved that the cherubim were represented in the form of winged bulls. M. Lenormant, in his famous book on the "Beginnings of History," says that, during the time of the kings and prophets, "most assuredly the cherubim, as there described, are animals."—Popular Science Monthly.

Massachusetts' First Coins.

Coinage was begun in Maryland and in Massachusetts in 1652. Joseph Jenks, "the Tubal Caine of New England," made the dies for Massachusetts. By them the famous "pine tree shillings" were struck. Charles II was pacified into submission to the invasion of the royal prerogative by being told when he asked what tree was represented on the coin that it was the royal oak which saved his majesty's life. Who can guess without looking at the coin whether the story reflects hardest on the artist or the king; whether the artist made a good pine tree or the king's forestry was at fault?—Age of Steel.

Traveling in Russia.

An izvestshik who was driving me one day through St. Petersburg a couple of years ago was stopped at the entrance to four different streets and ordered back by the mounted police because his majesty was expected to pass that way. "Is this thoroughfare closed to us too?" I asked as the policeman made signs to us for the fourth time to retreat. "Yes, your honor, it is," replied the driver. "The little father is a little timid."—Contemporary Review.

Opinions as to Salamanders.

As to a salamander, the ancients were divided in opinion, some avering that he ate the fire up, the rest that he was so cold that he put the fire out, either of which procedures was sufficient to meet the circumstances.—London World.

THEIR LITTLE RUSE WORKED.

The Bride and Groom Came Back and Shook Out the Rice.

Apropos of the hue and cry against rice throwing at weddings, a little story is told of one of the recent brides living not many miles from Brookline. Deciding to guard against this particular form of warfare, one of the members of the family had taken the precaution on the evening of the eventful day of locking up the pantry, and when at the close of the reception the self appointed committee of ushers and bridesmaids started on their search for the time honored article they were confronted by the insurmountable obstacle of a locked and barred door.

The best man volunteered to supply the demand for rice from the pantry of his own home, which was only a few rods away, and soon returned, bringing with him all he had been able to collect. This ammunition was divided among the little army of besiegers, who then gathered at the foot of the stairs and bided their time.

At last quick steps were heard in the upper hall. Somebody called out, "They're coming," and two flying figures sped down the staircase and out at the front door, almost hidden from sight by the thick, white shower which immediately enveloped them, lodging in every available nook and cranny of their clothing. Some of the more adventurous spirits rushed after them into the darkness, throwing the last handfuls of rice that remained in through the carriage windows.

Pleased with their success, they returned to the house and were picturing to themselves the sensation that the rice bedecked couple would make at the hotel for which they were destined, when suddenly a carriage was heard to drive up to the door, the bride and bridegroom entered and disappeared into one of the empty rooms before the astonished group could realize what had happened. A few minutes later they again emerged, serene and smiling, and freed from all evidence of the late fray, and proceeded leisurely to take their second departure, while the now empty handed and discomfited guests were fain to own themselves fairly outwitted by this clever ruse on the part of the enemy.—Boston Saturday Gazette.

The Law Against Profanity.

An act of parliament that was passed in the reign of George II for the suppression of profanity is still occasionally brought into force. Under it the Wisbech magistrates have just convicted a man named Abraham Pye of Walpole, who was charged with publicly using four profane oaths, for which he had rendered himself liable to a penalty of 4 shillings, being 1 shilling for each oath. The defendant admitted his guilt, and at the request of the chairman the clerk explained the provisions of the act, which imposes a penalty of 1 shilling per oath when uttered by a laborer, 2 shillings when the offender is above a laborer and under the degree of a gentleman, and 5 shillings when spoken by any one above the degree of a gentleman.

It was also explained that the consequences are the same whether the oaths are uttered by a person on his own premises or in the public streets. The bench fined the defendant 4 shillings and 13 shillings costs, and intimated that they intended to suppress the use of bad language in the public streets as far as they possibly could.—Lloyd's Weekly.

He Hesitated and Won.

The young man hesitated. The clock struck 10.

"My dear Miss Hattie," he said, "I am going."

He hesitated again.

"Oh, don't be in a hurry, Mr. Felix; it is early yet."

He hesitated again.

"I am going."

"So early!" and there was regret in her voice.

He hesitated once more.

"I am going."

"Don't," she pleaded.

He hesitated more than ever.

Then he braced himself.

"I am going to ask you to marry me," he exclaimed.

"Do," she whispered yearningly.

And he did with phenomenal success.—Detroit Free Press.

Revenge in Animals.

Revenge is a trait I think we must legitimately get from animal ancestry. Elephants are notorious for paying old scores. A really pleasant story comes from Sacramento of a fellow who carried his whip into the park and began tantalizing an ape that was chained. The frantic animal broke loose and made such havoc of the fellow that he was slightly more naked than Adam in the garden of Eden. A horse in Modesto, Cal., is reported as having a similar quarrel, and though gentle with others never sees his tormentor without trying to kill him.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

A Sunday Game.

Mother—You shouldn't play games on Sunday.

Little Boy—This one is all right.

"Do you mean that all that running and jumping is right?"

"Yes'm, we are playing steeplechase and pretendin' they is reg'lar church steeples."—Good News.

THE DOG AT THE STATION.

An Illustration of How Lasting the Affection of a Canine May Be.

"An instance of animal affection came to my notice two years ago," said Aquilla Fleischman, instructor of physics in the University of Kansas. "It was on the occasion of President Jordan's leaving the state university of Indiana, where I was then a student, to assume the presidency of the Leland Stanford university at Pasadena, Cal. While president of the Indiana university Dr. Jordan secured a fine St. Bernard pup and took good care to raise it properly. The dog soon became proficient in many ways under the tutelage of Dr. Jordan and seemed fairly to worship its master. Nightly the dog could be seen in the Bloomington postoffice waiting its turn when the mail for the president would be handed out inclosed in a leathern pouch. With this pouch the dog would trot away toward the residence of the president, and woe to any one who attempted to bar its progress."

"Dr. Jordan on leaving presented the dog to Professor Hoffman of the college. At first the dog was disinclined to part with his master, and upon meeting Dr. Jordan in the street would turn away from Professor Hoffman and follow after. Being driven away once or twice, however, it made no further attempts at following him. On the occasion of the doctor's departure Professor Hoffman, along with the other members of the faculty, went to the depot. The dog journeyed with him. It was here that Dr. Jordan stooped and patted the dog on the head and then entered the cars. The dog watched wistfully for the reappearance of the good doctor, but in vain."

"Soon after this Professor Hoffman noticed that his dog was absent at a certain period in the day. The operator at the depot also noticed the daily visits of the dog to the station on the arrival and departure of the 2 p. m. train. Being informed as to whom the dog belonged he sent word, and Professor Hoffman next day watched the strange sight. The dog came, expecting the return of its former master, and waited patiently for the approach of the train. As the train neared the depot, it would prick up its ears and observe the arrivals. It was only when the train had passed out of sight that the dog would depart. It was really a touching scene and shows the depth of animal affection."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

The Last Days of Kosciusko.

Kosciusko, wounded and made prisoner at the battle of Maciejowice, was kept two years in the prisons of St. Petersburg, and, amnestied by Czar Paul I, went first to England, thence to Italy and then to Paris. Here he struck great friendship with the charge d'affaires of the Swiss confederation, M. de Zeltner, and finally went to live the last years of his life in his friend's house at Soletta, where he died on the 18th of October, 1817. The heart of the hero remained in the possession of Kosciusko's goddaughter, Mlle. de Zeltner, and on her marriage with Count Morosini passed into the keeping of that family.

The descendants of those among whom the great Polish patriot passed away protest most anxiously, and on the best authority, against the phrase attributed to Kosciusko when falling wounded on his last battlefield, "Finis Polonia!" This exclamation was never uttered by Kosciusko, who himself refuted the legend, saying in his last days, "These are the words of a self conceited braggart, and as far from my heart as they are from my hopes."—London Saturday Review.

Wanted to Send a Sample.

Now and then some neat little story turns up in a telegraph office. Of course every one is familiar with that of the lady who wrote a message to her sister in a faraway city to the effect that she could not match a certain shade of blue silk, pinned a sample to the blank, added the words, "This is the nearest I can come to it," and requested that sample, message and all be sent at once by wire.

When the operator mildly suggested that he was unable to transmit the sample, she of course became angry and promptly denounced the man and Professor Morse's invention as a snare and a delusion.—New York Herald.

A Sign and an Omen.

When a man goes into a "rapid transit" lunchroom, selects a seat and leaves his hat in it as a notice that he has staked out his claim, and then returns with a cup of coffee in one hand and a ham sandwich in the other and sits down on the hat, it is a sign that he is careless of his personal appearance and regardless of matters of dress. It is also a good omen for the hatter.—Exchange.

A Cranky Patient.

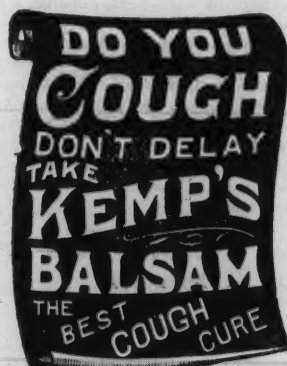
Doctor (to patient)—I do not wish to frighten you, but if you have no objection I'd like to call in a couple of my brother physicians.

Inscrutable Patient—All right! If you need any assistance in murdering me, call in your accomplices.—Texas Siftings.

Chance For Display.

He—What are these hairless dogs good for?

She—To cover up, of course.—New York Weekly.



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NORTH ANDOVER.

Sunday evening, Feb. 5, shortly after midnight, Mr. W. H. Rea states that he was awakened by a sound as of some one attempting to enter his house. Mr. Rea at once seized a weapon and started in search of the intruder, when the noise suddenly ceased and nothing more was heard. Mr. Rea found later that unsuccessful attempts had been made to force open two of the cellar windows at the rear of the house, and also that a strip of glass had been cut and extracted from the bottom of one of the windows in the front of the house.

Mr. Percy Milner of Worcester made a brief visit to his parents this week.

At the meeting of Bradstreet Colony of Pilgrim Fathers Tuesday evening the following programme was presented for the enjoyment of the members and their friends: Piano and violin duets, Miss Jackson and Mr. Sykes; remarks, Mr. J. G. Kimball; songs, Mr. Connelly; dance, Master Flaherty; songs, Mr. Liversidge; reading, Mr. Thomas Jackson; piano duet, Misses Carney and Gilman; song, Mr. Samuel Adams; reading, "The Electric Car," Mr. Thomas Jackson; piano selections, Mr. Richardson, Miss Grace Downing, and Miss Emma Sutcliffe.

Sabbath School concert at the Congregational Church Sunday evening at 6:45 o'clock.

There was no afternoon session of the schools Monday.

Mrs. Thomas Milner and daughter, Sarah, left town last Saturday for New Jersey to visit relatives in West Hoboken, Paterson, and vicinity, expecting to return home next Monday.

Mr. Charles J. Kelley of Third Street, who has been so ill with pneumonia, has been removed to the Lawrence hospital.

The last meeting of the Board of Registrars before town meeting will be held at the Selectmen's office Wednesday evening from 12 o'clock m. to 10 o'clock p.m.

At the temperance meeting in Odd Fellows Hall last Sunday afternoon there was an increase in attendance over that of the previous meeting. Mr. F. W. Frisbee, Esq., presided and introduced Rev. Thomas Tyrie of Lawrence who gave a brief address on temperance. He was succeeded by Rev. W. I. Haven of East Boston, who spoke of the importance of the smaller towns voting for no license not only for their own welfare, but also to lend encouragement to cities.

The next in the series of temperance meetings will be held in Odd Fellows Hall Tuesday evening, at 7:45 o'clock, when Dr. A. H. Plumb of Boston will address the people. It is possible that musical features will be included in the evening's programme.

The Officers' Reports were in process of distribution the first of the week.

Mr. Clarence M. Austin, formerly of town, and Miss Florence A. Lewis were united in marriage at the residence of the bride's parents in Lawrence, Wednesday afternoon. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Thomas Spooner of the Free Baptist Church. Mr. William Lord appeared as groomsmen and Miss Lizzie Dimon as maid-of-honor. Following the ceremony a reception was held. Mr. and Mrs. Austin will be at home to friends at 374 Haverhill Street.

Children's services at St. Paul's Church to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The town report contains a list of 28 flag days.

Transportation by electric cars has been somewhat uncertain this week, the track from Odd Fellows Hall to the Centre being covered to the depth of several inches with snow.

Gen. Thomas Kittredge of Gov. Russell's staff has accepted the invitation of the Governor to accompany him to Washington to attend the inauguration of President Cleveland.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Kelly, last Thursday.

The next meeting of the Grange is Tuesday evening.

Town meeting Monday, March 6. Polls open at 10 o'clock a.m. and may close at two o'clock p.m.

Democratic caucus at Odd Fellows Hall to-night at 7:45 o'clock.

The hearing on the water question occurs before the legislative committee at the State House, Tuesday next.

Regimental inspection of Co. L. Monday evening, March 6.

Thursday of this week was visiting day at the Centre Grammar school.

Owing to the severity of the storm on the 22d, the flags of the schools were not unfurled.

Ripans Tabules banish pain.
Ripans Tabules purify the blood.

Mrs. J. D. White of Haverhill, mother of Mrs. Nathaniel Stevens of this town, died suddenly in New Orleans last week, whither she had gone for her health. Congressman Stevens and wife and Miss Virginia Stevens came on from Washington the first of the week to attend the funeral.

Not an electric car has run through to the end of the route to the Centre since Feb. 13th.

There was no meeting of the Charitable Union Wednesday, owing to the storm.

The net proceeds of the entertainment in aid of the Charitable Union were \$52.40.

Mr. Edward Adams has purchased a wood lot on the road from the Centre to Frye Village and is to cut timber from it for the building of a new barn near his dwelling house.

Republican caucus at Stevens Hall to-night at 7:45 o'clock.

Rev. W. I. Haven preached a most excellent sermon at the M. E. Church last Sunday morning.

At the meeting of the Water Board last Tuesday evening no business of importance was transacted.

The demand for snow shovels this week has exceeded the supply.

The road commissioners with all the men which they could command have been busily engaged in endeavoring to render travel, since the snow of Wednesday, less laborious. The weight of the snow and the size of the drifts have rendered the plows unavailable and it has been necessary to clear the foot-paths entirely by hand, the men working by night as well as by day to accomplish this. Some of the roadways and sidewalks are as yet untouched, but by the last of the week will probably be broken out. The drifts in some of the thickly settled sections are piled from 4 to 5 feet in height.

Town Warrant.

The following is a synopsis of the principal articles which appear in the town warrant:

To see if the town will appropriate \$1200 for the support of the Public Library, purchase of books and rent, and direct that the money received from the county treasurer for dog licenses also be used for this purpose.

To see if the town will continue the present system of street lighting and appropriate money for the same.

To see if the town will erect and maintain an electric light at the corner of Water and Clarendon Streets near the house of Joseph Lamere.

To see what action the town will take towards establishing arc lights at Nelson's corner, corner of Osgood Street and Air Line and Phillips Square.

To see if the town will vote to buy a Chemical engine and appropriate money therefor.

To see if the town will vote to buy apparatus for the removal of night soil.

To see if the town will appropriate \$746.38 to pay for land purchased by the School Committee; also to appropriate \$670 to purchase the side lot.

To see if the town will appropriate \$600 to complete the Elm Street sewer.

To see if the town will vote to build a street, as laid out, leading from Lawrence Street to Beverly Street.

To see what action the town will take in the matter of widening and changing the grade of Sutton Street, from its junction with Main Street easterly past the property of Suttons mills.

To see if the town will appropriate \$300 for railing and widening the street near James Hayward's and Marble Ridge Farm.

To see if the town will appropriate money to build a sewer on Railroad Street from Middlesex Street to sewer on Main Street.

To see if the town will appropriate \$200 to continue improvement on the grounds of the Town Hall.

To see if the town will vote to elect Park Commissioners.

St. Paul's Parish House.

The fierce snow storm and blizzard of Wednesday interfered greatly with the attendance at the dedicatory exercises of the new parish house connected with St. Paul's Episcopal Church. The exercises commenced at 11:30 o'clock, a.m., and were as follows: Singing of hymn 200; versicles; prayer, Rev. George Walker; singing of hymn 464; presentation of Parish House by Mr. J. D. W. French, who at the conclusion of his address presented the key of the building to Rev. George Walker. The latter replied with appropriate words, and accepted the same in behalf of the parish; singing of hymn 373; address by Rev. George Prescott, rector of Church of the Good Shepherd, Boston. Lunch was then served and the ceremonies were concluded by the pronouncement of the benediction by Rev. George Walker.

The house is the gift of Mr. J. D. W. French, junior warden of the church, and Miss Amelia A. French, and was presented to the parish as a memorial to their mother, Mrs. Hannah W. French who died in 1878. The gift will be a great convenience to the people of St. Paul's Church, and will be greatly appreciated by them. A handsome upright piano has also been donated by Mr. Jonathan French of Boston, for use in the auditorium.

Rev. H. H. Leavitt Presses his Resignation.

The firm determination of Rev. H. H. Leavitt to adhere to his first resolve, made still more patent by his second letter of resignation, made it necessary for members of the Congregational Church to gather in the vestry Tuesday evening, to take action thereon.

The meeting was called to order by Clerk C. E. Stillings who called for organization. Mr. Geo. E. Hathorn was chosen moderator. Prayer was offered by Mr. Carney. The second letter of resignation having been read, upon motion of Hon. N. P. Frye, the reading of the records was passed, and the following resolutions were submitted, Mr. Frye moving their adoption, seconded by Deacon Joseph H. Stone:

WHEREAS, Our Friend and Teacher in Christ, Rev. H. H. Leavitt, after a pastorate of nearly eleven years has for reasons apparent to himself tendered his resignation; and

WHEREAS, his pastorate has been, under divine guidance, a most successful one in the building up and numerical increase of our church and in the Godly influence going out to the community hereabouts, whereby many here have been led into the better life, therefore be it

Resolved: That we accept his resignation to take effect the first of April next. But we do this with reluctance and with the prayer that this action will work no disadvantage to either church or pastor, and our wish is that he might continue as acting pastor while perfecting his plans. And we bear testimony to the godliness and the Christian character and spirit of Mr. Leavitt, to his ability and singular faithfulness and as a minister of the gospel, and to his manliness and sincerity of purpose. We know him to be a zealous, self-sacrificing disciple of our Lord, a willing worker and a high-minded and public-spirited citizen. And we realize that in his going out from among us, we shall suffer a serious loss and we regard the church and people to whom he may go as pastor, as peculiarly favored and blessed by God."

The following motions submitted by Mr. Frank H. Drew, was adopted by the assembly:

I hereby motion "That Deacon Stone, Miss Anna M. Tucker, and Mr. Moses Merrill constitute a committee to communicate to the pastor the voice of the meeting, and that they be instructed to prepare resolutions appreciating his pastoral guidance and regretting the parting that he has determined must needs shortly occur."

Deacon Stone was appointed to represent the church at the meeting of the Society soon to be held and to confer with Rev. Mr. Leavitt, relative to calling the Council of Churches to make the customary arrangements in regard to granting his dismissal.

The meeting, which was in marked contrast to the one which preceded it and assumed an entirely different complexion, dissolved.

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THE TOWN REPORT CONTAINS A LIST OF 28 FLAG DAYS.

TRANSPORTATION BY ELECTRIC CARS HAS BEEN SOMEWHAT UNCERTAIN THIS WEEK, THE TRACK FROM ODD FELLOWS HALL TO THE CENTRE BEING COVERED TO THE DEPTH OF SEVERAL INCHES WITH SNOW.

GEN. THOMAS KITTREDGE OF GOV. RUSSELL'S STAFF HAS ACCEPTED THE INVITATION OF THE GOVERNOR TO ACCOMPANY HIM TO WASHINGTON TO ATTEND THE INAUGURATION OF PRESIDENT CLEVELAND.

A SON WAS BORN TO MR. AND MRS. E. J. KELLY, LAST THURSDAY.

THE NEXT MEETING OF THE GRANGE IS TUESDAY EVENING.

TOWN MEETING MONDAY, MARCH 6. POLLS OPEN AT 10 O'CLOCK A.M. AND MAY CLOSE AT TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS AT ODD FELLOWS HALL TO-NIGHT AT 7:45 O'CLOCK.

THE HEARING ON THE WATER QUESTION OCCURS BEFORE THE LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE AT THE STATE HOUSE, TUESDAY NEXT.

REGIMENTAL INSPECTION OF CO. L. MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 6.

THURSDAY OF THIS WEEK WAS VISITING DAY AT THE CENTRE GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

OWING TO THE SEVERITY OF THE STORM ON THE 22D, THE FLAGS OF THE SCHOOLS WERE NOT UNFURLED.

RIPIANS TABULES BANISH PAIN.
RIPIANS TABULES PURIFY THE BLOOD.

THE KIND THAT CURES



MISS GERTRUDE S. COWLES, Montgomery, Mass.

TWO YEARS OF AGONY.

FIVE Remedies and
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GENTLEMEN—I wish to tell you of the wonderful cure DANA'S SARSAPARILLA has done for me.
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cured me as I had tried five different remedies and four Physicians without any benefit.
Yours respectfully,
MISS GERTRUDE S. COWLES,
Montgomery, Mass.

The truth of the above is certified to by E. W. FERRIS, School Committee, Lewis T. ALLEN, Town Clerk and Treasurer, L. O. MOORE, Chairman of Selectmen and Assessors, and Miss H. C. KELSO.

Dana's Sarsaparilla Co., Belfast, Maine.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

That the subscriber has been duly appointed executrix of the will of JOHN CORNELL, late of Andover in the County of Essex, coal dealer deceased, testate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to
MARY E. B. GLEASON, Execx.
Andover, Jan. 24, 1893.



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-AT-

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-OF-

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One or two lots at half the former price. Parties who bought at these sales last winter will find this a good chance to get good goods for little money. Please call early before sizes are broken up.

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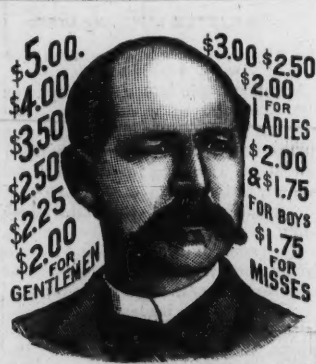
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Black Kersey
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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

ESSEX SS.
To all persons interested in the Estate given in trust for the benefit of Mary A. Phelps, and others, in the will of Austin Phelps, late of Andover, in said county, clergyman, deceased.

GRANTED: WHEREAS, Lawrence Phelps the trustee of said estate under said will has presented for allowance the second account of his trusteeship. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Lawrence, in said county, on the second Monday of March, next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And the said Trustee is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, in the ANDOVER TOWNSMAN, a newspaper printed at Andover, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said court. Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this ninth day of February, in the year eighteen hundred and ninety-three.

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